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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE CO	OMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549	
FORM 6-K  Report of Foreign Private Issuer	
Report of Foreign Frivate issuer	
Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16	
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934	1
For the month of March 2018	
Commission File Number 1-14966	
CNOOC Limited	
(Translation of registrant's name into Er	nglish)

65th Floor

Bank of China Tower

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Central, Hong Kong

(Address of principal executive offices)

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## Signature

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

### **CNOOC Limited**

By: /s/ Jiewen Li Name: Jiewen Li

Title: Joint Company Secretary

Dated: March 20, 2018

## EXHIBIT INDEX

99.1 Press Release entitled "CNOOC Limited Announces Weizhou 6-13 Oilfield Commences Production"

Exhibit 99.1
CNOOC LIMITED
For Immediate Release
CNOOC Limited Announces Weizhou 6-13 Oilfield
Commences Production
(Hong Kong, March 20, 2018) - CNOOC Limited (the "Company", SEHK: 00883, NYSE: CEO, TSX: CNU) announced today that Weizhou 6-13 oilfield has commenced production ahead of schedule.
Weizhou 6-13 oilfield is located in Beibu Gulf in the South China Sea with an average water depth of approximately 35 meters. In addition to fully utilizing the existing facilities of Weizhou 12-1 oilfield, the project has also built one wellhead platform. Currently, there are seven wells in production and the project is expected to reach a peak production of approximately 9,400 barrels of crude oil per day in 2019, exceeding its ODP approximately 3,000 barrels of crude oil per day.
Weizhou 6-13 oilfield is an independent oilfield in which the Company holds 100% interest and acts as the operator.
Mr. Yuan Guangyu, CEO of the Company, said: "Weizhou 6-13 oilfield not only commenced production ahead of schedule, but also exceeded its ODP's estimates in both reserves and production. This is attributable to the Company' efforts in strengthening of its innovation and technology-driven philosophy and reinforcing its quality and efficiency enhancements."
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Notes to Editors:

More information about the Company is available at <a href="http://www.cnoocltd.com">http://www.cnoocltd.com</a>.

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This press release includes "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the United States Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, including statements regarding expected future events, business prospectus or financial results. The words "expect",

"anticipate", "continue", "estimate", "objective", "ongoing", "may", "will", "project", "should", "believe", "plans", "intends" a expressions are intended to identify such forward-looking statements. These statements are based on assumptions and analyses made by the Company in light of its experience and its perception of historical trends, current conditions and expected future developments, as well as other factors the Company believes are appropriate under the circumstances. However, whether actual results and developments will meet the expectations and predictions of the Company depends on a number of risks and uncertainties which could cause the actual results, performance and financial condition to differ materially from the Company's expectations, including but not limited to those associated with fluctuations in crude oil and natural gas prices, the exploration or development activities, the capital expenditure requirements, the business strategy, whether the transactions entered into by the Group can complete on schedule pursuant to their terms and timetable or at all, the highly competitive nature of the oil and natural gas industries, the foreign operations, environmental liabilities and compliance requirements, and economic and political conditions in the People's Republic of China. For a description of these and other risks and uncertainties, please see the documents the Company files from time to time with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, including the Annual Report on Form 20-F filed in April of the latest fiscal year.

Consequently, all of the forward-looking statements made in this press release are qualified by these cautionary statements. The Company cannot assure that the results or developments anticipated will be realised or, even if substantially realised, that they will have the expected effect on the Company, its business or operations.

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Net loans receivable
1,039,413
1,021,686
860,493

703,613	
558,018	
Mortgage-backed securities available for sale	
683,785	
726,023	
643,779	
670,329	
Mortgage-backed securities held to maturity	

4,321	
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758,121	
Securities available for sale	
28,027	
20 102	
38,183	
88,869	

222,793		
33,591		
Securities held to maturity		
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470,098		
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Cash and cash equivalents		

211,525

131,723 163,341 230,279 139,865 Goodwill 82,263 82,263 82,263 82,263

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Deposits	
1,421,201	
1,379,032	
1,411,713	
1,443,738	
1,528,777	
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	
210,000	

218,000		
28,488		
61,105		
61,687		
Total stockholders' equity		
476,720		
471,371		
462,592		
475,134		

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Summary of Operations:															
Interest income	\$	97,908		\$	97,367		\$	95,561		\$	89,323		\$	82,441	
Interest expense		44,200			50,528			50,468			38,645			30,422	
Net interest income		53,708			46,839			45,093			50,678			52,019	
Provision for loan losses		317			94			571			72			68	
Net interest income after provision for loan															
losses		53,391			46,745			44,522			50,606			51,951	
Non-interest income, excluding (loss) gain on		2 (40			2.700			2 424			2 202			1.700	
securities Non-interest income from (loss) gain on sale of		2,648			2,708			2,434			2,302			1,798	
securities		(415	)		_			55			1,023			7,705	
Loss on impairment of securities		(714	)		(659	)		_			_			_	
Non-interest expenses		43,922	,		40,939	,		44,856			42,046			34,862	
Income before income taxes		10,988			7,855			2,155			11,885			26,592	
Provisions for income taxes		4,597			1,951			221			2,277			7,694	
Net income	\$	6,391		\$	5,904		\$	1,934		\$	9,608		\$	,	
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Share and Per Share Data:															
Net income per share – basic	\$	0.09		\$	0.09		\$	0.03		\$	0.14		\$	0.33	
Net income per share – diluted	\$	0.09		\$	0.09		\$	0.03		\$	0.14		\$	0.33	
Weighted average number of common shares	·														
outstanding – basic		68,111			68,675			69,242			70,904			57,963	
Weighted average number of common shares		(0.222			60.700			60.501			70.002			57.062	
outstanding – diluted Cash dividends per share <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>.</b>	68,223		Φ.	68,789		Φ.	69,581		Φ.	70,982		Φ.	57,963	
-	\$	0.20		\$	0.20		\$	0.20		\$	0.19		\$	_	
Dividend payout ratio (2)		54.91	%		62.47	%	,	192.61	%		49.30	%		0.00	%

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	At or For the Years Ended June 30,						
	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005		
Performance Ratios:							
Return on average assets (net income divided by average total assets) Return on average equity (net income divided by	0.31	% 0.29	% 0.10	% 0.47	% 0.94	%	
average equity)  Net interest rate spread	1.35	1.26	0.41	1.94	5.40		
Net interest margin	2.25 2.81	1.81 2.54	1.70 2.43	2.10 2.67	2.51 2.79		
Average interest-earning assets to average interest-bearing liabilities Efficiency ratio (Non-interest expense divided by the	124.16	126.49	126.82	127.82	116.93		
sum of net interest income and non-interest income) Non-interest expense to average assets	79.53 2.11	83.74 2.04	94.27 2.23	77.86 2.05	56.67 1.73		
Asset Quality Ratios:	2.11	2.01	2.23	2.03	1.73		
Non-performing loans to total loans	1.26	0.15	0.17	0.13	0.34		
Non-performing assets to total assets	0.62	0.08	0.08	0.05	0.10		
Net charge-offs to average loans outstanding	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00		
Allowance for loan losses to total loans	0.62	0.59	0.70	0.77	0.96		
Allowance for loan losses to non-performing loans	48.92	388.05	406.25	578.66	281.79		
Capital Ratios:							
Average equity to average assets	22.73	23.41	23.56	24.16	17.36		
Equity to assets at period end	22.43	22.63	24.13	23.85	23.99		
Tangible equity to tangible assets at period end	18.98	19.51	21.10	21.19	20.66		

<sup>(1)</sup> Represents dividends paid per public share. Kearny MHC has waived receipt of all cash dividends declared to date.

<sup>(2)</sup> Represents cash dividends paid on public shares divided by net income.

#### Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

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This discussion and analysis reflects Kearny Financial Corp.'s consolidated financial statements and other relevant statistical data. We include it to enhance your understanding of our financial condition and results of operations. You should read the information in this section in conjunction with Kearny Financial Corp.'s consolidated financial statements and notes thereto contained in this Annual Report on Form 10-K and the other statistical data provided herein.

#### Overview

*Financial Condition.* Total assets increased \$41.9 million to \$2.12 billion at June 30, 2009 from \$2.08 billion at June 30, 2008. The increase was due primarily to increases in cash and cash equivalents and, to a lesser degree, net loans receivable, partially offset by decreases in non-mortgage-backed and mortgage-backed securities.

During the year ended June 30, 2009, per the Company's business plan, management continued to focus on changing the Bank's asset mix, increasing the loan portfolio while reducing the relative size of the securities portfolio. From a historical perspective, our loan portfolio now represents a greater percentage of our interest-earning assets than our securities portfolio; however, the portfolio relative to assets decreased year-over-year due in part to the economic downturn. At June 30, 2009, net loans receivable comprised 48.9% of total assets compared to 49.0% a year earlier while securities comprised 33.7% of total assets compared to 36.7% a year earlier. Between June 30, 2008 and June 30, 2009, net loans receivable increased \$17.7 million, or 1.7%, while securities decreased \$48.1 million, or 6.3%. Generally, cash flows from investing activities were used to fund loan originations and deposit outflows early in the year; however, thereafter deposits began to increase while loan demand dropped significantly leading to a buildup of cash.

At June 30, 2009, our total deposits were \$1.42 billion, compared to \$1.38 billion at June 30, 2008. Year-over-year, certificates of deposit and core deposits increased \$31.1 million and \$11.0 million, respectively. Beginning during the quarter ended December 31, 2008, deposits began to increase reversing the trend of deposit outflows experienced by the Bank since the quarter ended December 31, 2006. Reductions in the federal funds rate amounting to a 525 basis point cut in aggregate between September 2007 and December 2008 have had a significant effect on interest rates, particularly lowering the rates paid on certificates of deposit, which has made the Bank's rate offerings more competitive in the marketplace while also helping to lower the cost of deposits.

FHLB of New York borrowings decreased \$8.0 million to \$210.0 million at June 30, 2009 from \$218.0 million a year earlier. Due to continuing deposit inflows and flagging loan demand, there was no need for additional borrowing during fiscal 2009.

Stockholders' equity increased \$5.3 million to \$476.7 million at June 30, 2009, from \$471.4 million at June 30, 2008. The increase was primarily the result of a \$10.0 million increase in accumulated other comprehensive income, net of income taxes, due to mark-to-market adjustments to the available for sale non-mortgage-backed securities and mortgage-backed securities portfolios and benefit plan adjustments pursuant to SFAS No. 158.

Results of Operations. Our results of operations depend primarily on our net interest income. Net interest income is the difference between the interest income we earn on our interest-earning assets and the interest we pay on our interest-bearing liabilities. It is a function of the average balances of loans

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and investments versus deposits and borrowed funds outstanding in any one period and the yields earned on those loans and investments and the cost of those deposits and borrowed funds. Our results of operations are also affected by our provision for loan losses, non-interest income and non-interest expense.

Net income for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 was \$6.4 million, or \$0.09 per diluted share; an increase of \$487,000 from \$5.9 million, or \$0.09 per diluted share for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The increase in net income year-over-year resulted primarily from an increase in net interest income, partially offset by increases in impairment losses on securities, non-interest expense and income taxes as well as an increase in provision for loan losses and a decrease in non-interest income (excluding loss on securities).

Our net interest income increased by \$6.9 million to \$53.7 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$46.8 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The net interest rate spread increased to 2.25% for fiscal 2009 from 1.81% for fiscal 2008 as the cost of average interest-bearing liabilities fell to 2.87% from 3.46% while the yield on average interest-earning assets decreased to 5.12% from 5.27%. Total interest income increased to \$97.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$97.4 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due to an increase in average interest-earning assets, partially offset by a decrease in average yield. Total interest expense decreased to \$44.2 million, year-over-year, due to a decrease in the average cost, partially offset by an increase in volume of interest-bearing liabilities.

Non-interest expense increased \$3.0 million to \$43.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, from \$40.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The increase in non-interest expense resulted primarily from increases in salaries and employee benefits expense, net occupancy expense of premises, federal deposit insurance premium expense and miscellaneous expense, partially offset by a decrease in amortization of intangible assets expense.

Non-interest income, excluding loss on sales and impairments of securities, decreased \$60,000 to \$2.6 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$2.7 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due to a \$139,000 decrease in miscellaneous income, partially offset by a \$79,000 increase in fees and service charges. Total non-interest income, including loss on securities, decreased \$530,000 to \$1.5 million from \$2.0 million, year-over-year.

The provision for loan losses was \$317,000 for fiscal 2009 compared to \$94,000 for fiscal 2008. The increase in the provision was due primarily to the adjustment of the environmental factors component of the Bank's analysis of probable loan losses to reflect current economic conditions as well as an increase in non-performing assets.

Business Strategy. Our current business strategy is to seek to grow and improve our profitability by:

- increasing the volume of our loan originations and the size of our loan portfolio relative to our securities portfolio;
- increasing the origination of multi-family and commercial real estate loans and commercial business loans;
- building our core banking business through internal growth and de novo branching, as well as actively considering expansion opportunities such as the acquisition of branches and other financial institutions;

- developing a sales culture by training and encouraging our branch personnel to promote our existing products and services to our customers; and
- maintaining high asset quality.

Our deposits have traditionally exceeded our loan originations and we have invested these deposits primarily in mortgage-backed securities and non-mortgage-backed securities. Following our acquisition of South Bergen Savings Bank in 1999, we began to emphasize increasing the size of our loan portfolio. Prior to that time, we focused our efforts on obtaining deposits from the communities in which we operated our five branch offices in Bergen and Hudson counties and investing those funds in mortgage-backed and non-mortgaged-backed securities. The focal point of our current business strategy is to increase our volume of loan originations and the size of our loan portfolio, which we fund by gathering deposits through our 26 branches located in eight counties. Since June 1999, the Company has nearly doubled in terms of assets while the loan portfolio has grown by more than three and one-half times, from \$283.0 million at June 30, 1999 to \$1.04 billion at June 30, 2009. At June 30, 2009, mortgage-backed securities and non-mortgage-backed securities have fallen to 33.7% of assets, compared to 67.2% at June 30, 1999. Our residential loan originations have traditionally been largely advertising driven, but we also utilize regional loan advisors who specialize in residential mortgage loan originations and are available to meet with prospective loan customers wherever it is most convenient for them.

An important component of our business plan calls for expanding our presence in the commercial marketplace. We expect to increase the size of our commercial lending staff, particularly by adding experienced commercial lenders in order to increase the size of the commercial loan portfolio. Internet banking and cash management products are now available for commercial customers and we anticipate adding remote deposit capture to our commercial product line during fiscal 2010.

#### **Critical Accounting Policies**

Our accounting policies are integral to understanding the results reported. We describe them in detail in Note 1 to the Company's consolidated financial statements beginning on Page F-9 of this document. In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities as of the dates of the consolidated statements of financial condition and revenues and expenses for the periods then ended. Actual results could differ significantly from those estimates. Material estimates that are particularly susceptible to significant changes relate to the determination of the allowance for loan losses, the evaluation of securities impairment and the impairment testing of goodwill.

Allowance for Loan Losses. The allowance for loan losses is a valuation account that reflects the Company's estimation of the losses in its loan portfolio to the extent they are both probable and reasonable to estimate. The balance of the allowance is generally maintained through provisions for loan losses that are charged to income in the period that estimated losses on loans are identified by the Company's loan review system. The Company charges losses on loans against the allowance as such losses are actually incurred. Recoveries on loans previously charged-off are added back to the allowance.

As described in greater detail in the notes to consolidated financial statements, the Company's allowance for loan loss calculation methodology utilizes a "two-tier" loss measurement process that is performed quarterly. Through the first tier of the process, the Company first identifies the loans that must be reviewed individually for impairment in accordance with SFAS No. 114. Such loans generally represent the Company's larger and/or more complex loans including commercial mortgage loans, but may also include certain individual one-to-four family mortgage loans, home equity loans and home equity lines of credit. A reviewed loan is deemed to be impaired when, based on current information and

events, it is probable that the Company will be unable to collect all amounts due according to the contractual terms of the loan agreement. Once a loan is determined to be impaired, management measures the amount of the estimated impairment associated with that loan which is generally defined as the amount by which the carrying value of a loan exceeds its fair value. The Company establishes specific valuation allowances for loan impairments in the fiscal period during which they are identified.

The second tier of the loss measurement process involves estimating the probable and estimable losses in accordance with SFAS No. 5 which addresses loans not otherwise reviewed for impairment in accordance with SFAS No. 114. Such loans generally comprise large groups of smaller-balance homogeneous loans, such as one-to-four family mortgage loans, home equity loans and lines of credit and consumer loans, but also include the remaining non-impaired loans of the larger and/or more complex types that were not individually reviewed for impairment.

Valuation allowances established in accordance with SFAS No. 5 utilize historical and environmental loss factors to collectively estimate the level of probable losses within defined segments of the Company's loan portfolio. To calculate its historical loss factors, the Company's allowance for loan loss methodology generally utilizes a minimum five-year moving average of annual net charge-off rates (charge-offs net of recoveries) by loan segment, where available, to calculate its actual, historical loss experience. The outstanding principal balance of each loan segment is multiplied by the applicable historical loss factor to estimate the level of probable losses based upon the Company's historical loss experience.

Environmental loss factors are based upon specific qualitative criteria representing key sources of risk within the loan portfolio. Such risk criteria includes the level of and trends in delinquencies and non-accrual loans; the effects of changes in credit policy; the experience, ability and depth of the lending function's management and staff; national and local economic trends and conditions; credit risk concentrations and changes in local and regional real estate values. The outstanding principal balance of each loan segment is multiplied by the applicable environmental loss factor to estimate the level of probable losses based upon the qualitative risk criteria.

The sum of the probable and estimable loan losses calculated in accordance with SFAS No. 114 and SFAS No. 5, as described above, represents the total targeted balance for the Company's allowance for loan losses at the end of a fiscal period. A more detailed discussion of the Company's allowance for loan loss calculation methodology is presented in Note 1 of the Company's consolidated financial statements.

Impairment Testing of Goodwill. We record goodwill, representing the excess of amounts paid over the fair value of net assets of the institutions acquired in purchase transactions, at its fair value at the date of acquisition. Through June 30, 2002, we amortized goodwill using the straight-line method over 15 years. Effective July 1, 2002, we adopted the FASB's SFAS No. 141, "Business Combinations", and SFAS No. 142, "Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets". Goodwill is tested and deemed impaired when the carrying value of goodwill exceeds its implied fair value. Goodwill was most recently tested as of June 30, 2009, at which time no impairment was indicated. At June 30, 2009, we reported goodwill of \$82.3 million. The value of the goodwill can change in the future. We expect the value of the goodwill to decrease if there is a significant decrease in the franchise value of the Bank. If an impairment loss is determined in the future, we will reflect the loss as an expense for the period in which the impairment is determined, leading to a reduction of our net income for that period by the amount of the impairment loss.

*Other-than-Temporary Impairment of Securities.* If the fair value of a security is less than its amortized cost, the security is deemed to be impaired. Management evaluates all securities with unrealized losses quarterly to determine if such impairments are "temporary" or "other-than-temporary"

in accordance with applicable accounting guidance including, but not limited to, SFAS No. 115 "Accounting for Certain Investments in Debt and Equity Securities", as amended, and EITF Issue No. 99-20, "Recognition of Interest Income and Impairment on Purchased Beneficial Interests and Beneficial Interests That Continue to be Held by a Transferor in Securitized Financial Asset", as amended.

The Company accounts for temporary impairments based upon their classification as either available for sale, held to maturity or managed within a trading portfolio. Temporary impairments on "available for sale" securities are recognized, on a tax-effected basis, through accumulated other comprehensive income with offsetting entries adjusting the carrying value of the security and the balance of deferred taxes. Conversely, the Company does not adjust the carrying value of "held to maturity" securities for temporary impairments, although information concerning the amount and duration of impairments on held to maturity securities is generally disclosed in periodic financial statements. The carrying value of securities held in a trading portfolio is adjusted to their fair value through earnings on a daily basis. However, the Company maintained no securities in trading portfolios at or during the periods presented in these financial statements.

The Company accounts for other-than-temporary impairments ("OTTI") based upon several considerations. First, OTTI on securities that the Company has decided to sell as of the close of a fiscal period, or will, more likely than not, be required to sell prior to the full recovery of their fair value to a level equal to or exceeding their amortized cost, are recognized in earnings. If neither of these conditions regarding the likelihood of the securities' sale is applicable, then the OTTI is bifurcated into credit-related and noncredit-related components. A credit-related impairment generally represents the amount by which the present value of the cash flows that are expected to be collected on an other-than-temporarily impaired security fall below its amortized cost. The noncredit-related component represents the remaining portion of the impairment not otherwise designated as credit-related. The Company recognizes credit-related, OTTI in earnings. However, noncredit-related, other-than-temporary impairments on debt securities are recognized in accumulated other comprehensive income.

#### Comparison of Financial Condition at June 30, 2009 and June 30, 2008

*General.* Total assets increased \$41.9 million to \$2.12 billion at June 30, 2009 from \$2.08 billion at June 30, 2008. The increase in total assets was due primarily to an increase in cash and cash equivalents and, to a lesser degree, net loans receivable, partially offset by decreases in non-mortgage-backed securities and mortgage-backed securities.

Cash and Cash Equivalents. Cash and cash equivalents, consisting primarily of interest-bearing deposits in other banks increased \$79.8 million to \$211.5 million at June 30, 2009 from \$131.7 million at June 30, 2008. During the quarters ended September 30 and December 31, 2008 liquidity decreased as cash and cash equivalents were redeployed to fund loan originations, loan purchases or deposit outflows. However, by December cash and cash equivalents began to build as the competition reduced their deposit account rates bringing them in line with those offered by the Bank. Despite several rounds of interest rate cuts by the Bank during the quarters ended March 31 and June 30, 2009, deposits continued to increase as loan demand declined contributing to a significant increase in cash and cash equivalents. With the federal funds rate hovering between 0.00% and 0.25% the average yield on cash and cash equivalents was only 0.74% during fiscal 2009.

At June 30, 2009, interest-bearing deposits included \$25.6 million on deposit with a money center bank and \$160.0 million on deposit with the FHLB of New York. Management routinely transfers funds between the two depository institutions to maximize the return on the funds, with the former pricing off of 30-day Libor and the latter off of the federal funds rate.

Securities Available for Sale. Non-mortgage-backed securities, all of which are classified as available for sale, decreased \$10.2 million to \$28.0 million at June 30, 2009 compared to \$38.2 million at June 30, 2008. The decrease resulted primarily from the redemption-in-kind of the AMF Fund as well as principal repayments totaling \$907,000 and a \$1.5 million decrease in the fair value of the portfolio. The shares of the AMF Fund, which management redeemed for the underlying securities, were written down to fair value as of the trade date resulting in a pre-tax charge to earnings of \$415,000 during the quarter ended September 30, 2008. Following the redemption-in-kind, the underlying securities were reclassified to mortgage-backed securities held to maturity.

At June 30, 2009, the non-mortgage-backed securities portfolio consisted of \$4.6 million of Small Business Loan ("SBA") pass-through certificates, \$18.3 million of municipal bonds and \$5.1 million of single issuer trust preferred securities with amortized costs of \$4.6 million, \$18.2 million and \$8.8 million, respectively. The net unrealized loss for this portfolio was \$3.6 million as of June 30, 2009. Management has concluded based on its evaluation of this portfolio that no other-than-temporary impairment is present for individual securities in a loss position at June 30, 2009. (For additional information refer to Note 6 to consolidated financial statements.)

Loans Receivable. Loans receivable, net of unamortized premiums, deferred costs and the allowance for loan losses, increased \$17.7 million to \$1.04 billion at June 30, 2009 from \$1.02 billion at June 30, 2008. Following a strong first quarter, lending activity was significantly lower during the second and third quarters, but began to improve during the fourth quarter of fiscal 2009. Management allowed loan rates to lag the market, therefore, the Bank did not experience the same level of refinancing activity as other lenders. During the quarter ended September 30, 2008, loan originations and purchases totaled \$92.0 million, but decreased to \$36.8 million and \$26.2 million during the quarters ending December 31, 2008 and March 31, 2009, respectively, followed by an increase to \$75.5 million during the quarter ended June 30, 2009. Although the Bank continued to adhere to reasonably disciplined loan pricing, residential loan applications began to increase during the quarter ended June 30, 2009. As the economic downturn became more firmly entrenched, residential lending activity dropped off significantly, however, commercial lending remained relatively stable throughout fiscal 2009.

Residential first mortgages, home equity loans and home equity lines of credit increased in the aggregate \$47.0 million during the quarter ended September 30, 2008, but decreased \$771,000, \$36.5 million and \$18.0 million during the quarters ended December 31, 2008, March 31 and June 30, 2009, respectively. By comparison, nonresidential mortgages, multi-family mortgages and commercial business loans increased in the aggregate \$5.2 million, \$5.3 million, \$6.5 million and \$7.9 million during each of the four quarters, respectively, reflecting a better pricing environment for these loans. Residential first mortgages, home equity loans and home equity lines of credit in the aggregate totaled \$814.8 million at June 30, 2009 compared to \$823.1 million at June 30, 2008. Nonresidential mortgages, multi-family mortgages and commercial business loans in the aggregate totaled \$212.2 million at June 30, 2009 compared to \$187.3 million at June 30, 2008, which is consistent with the Company's business plan. Construction loan disbursements increased \$1.3 million to \$13.4 million at June 30, 2009 compared to \$12.1 million at June 30, 2008. Construction loans were virtually unchanged at \$21.0 million, year-over-year. The distribution of construction loans by collateral type at June 30, 2009 was \$16.0 million of residential properties, \$4.5 million of nonresidential properties and \$500,000 of multi-family properties. Other loan categories totaled \$4.5 million at June 30, 2009 compared to \$4.0 million at June 30, 2008.

Mortgage-backed Securities Available for Sale. Mortgage-backed securities available for sale, all of which are government agency pass-through certificates, decreased \$42.2 million to \$683.8 million at June 30, 2009 compared to \$726.0 million at June 30, 2008. The decrease resulted from principal repayments and maturities totaling \$137.7 million partially offset by an \$18.7 million increase in the fair

value of the portfolio and purchases of \$77.4 million, which for the most part were 30-year fixed-rate CRA eligible issues used to meet CRA investment requirements. The net unrealized gain for this portfolio was \$18.7 million as of June 30, 2009. Management has concluded based on its evaluation of this portfolio that no other-than-temporary impairment is present for individual securities in a loss position at June 30, 2009. (For additional information refer to Note 6 to consolidated financial statements.) Cash flows from the portfolio were generally used to fund loan originations, loan purchases or deposit outflows during the first six months of the fiscal year, but for the most part contributed to the increase in cash and cash equivalents during the remainder of the year.

Mortgage-backed Securities Held to Maturity. Mortgage-backed securities held to maturity totaled \$4.3 million at June 30, 2009 compared to none at June 30, 2008. Due to a continuing decline in the net asset value of the AMF Fund, the Company decided in July 2008 to withdraw its investment in this AMF Fund by invoking a redemption-in-kind option after the fund's manager instituted a temporary prohibition against cash redemptions. As a result of the redemption-in-kind, the Bank received its pro-rata share of cash assets and the mortgage-backed securities in the fund, which totaled approximately \$1.4 million and \$6.0 million, respectively. Approximately 90% of the mortgage-backed securities received in the redemption were collateralized mortgage obligations, a mix of agency and non-agency issues. Upon redemption, this portfolio was written down to fair value and classified as held-to-maturity. At June 30, 2009, the portfolio included non-agency collateralized mortgage obligations with an amortized cost of \$2.5 million and estimated fair value of \$1.8 million. Furthermore, the portfolio also included agency mortgage-backed securities and collateralized mortgage obligations with an amortized cost of \$1.8 million and estimated fair value of \$1.9 million.

During the first nine months of fiscal 2009, the Company had recognized other-than-temporary impairments attributed to the non-agency collateralized mortgage obligations of \$570,000, all of which were recorded through earnings. Of that balance, approximately \$290,000 was determined by the Company to be "credit-related" with the remaining \$280,000 attributed to noncredit-related factors. In accordance with its adoption of FSP FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2, the Company recorded a cumulative effect of adoption adjustment effective April 1, 2009 between retained earnings and accumulated other comprehensive income totaling \$165,000 representing the after-tax effect of the adoption. The Company also identified an additional \$144,000 of credit-related, other-than-temporary impairments that were recognized through earnings during the quarter ended June 30, 2009. An additional \$274,000 on noncredit-related other-than-temporary impairments were identified and recorded through accumulated other comprehensive income on a tax effected basis during that same quarter. (For additional information refer to Note 6 to consolidated financial statements.)

*Other Assets*. Premises and equipment increased \$545,000 to \$35.5 million at June 30, 2009 from \$35.0 million at June 30, 2008 due primarily to renovations in the Fairfield administrative building for purposes of accommodating the relocation of the Company's commercial lending department and construction costs associated with a new retail branch in Pequannock, New Jersey.

FHLB of New York capital stock decreased \$126,000 to \$13.0 million at June 30, 2009 due to a reduction in borrowings during fiscal 2009. Bank owned life insurance increased \$558,000, to \$16.3 million at June 30, 2009 due to an increase in the cash surrender value of the underlying insurance policies.

Deferred income tax assets, net, decreased \$7.6 million to \$1.4 million at June 30, 2009 due primarily to increased deferred tax liabilities related to increased unrealized gains on available for sale securities.

*Deposits*. Deposits increased \$42.2 million to \$1.42 billion at June 30, 2009 from \$1.38 billion at June 30, 2008. During the quarter ended September 30, 2008, deposits decreased \$30.0 million, but increased by \$2.3 million, \$53.3 million and \$16.6 million each quarter thereafter, respectively. During fiscal 2009, interest-bearing demand deposits increased \$11.9 million to \$163.6 million, savings deposits increased \$1.2 million to \$301.6 million, certificates of deposit increased \$31.1 million to \$904.7 million and non-interest-bearing demand deposits decreased \$2.1 million to \$51.2 million.

During the first two quarters of the fiscal year, the Bank priced deposit interest rates at levels management considered to be reasonably competitive in the marketplace. The Bank determined that there was no need to increase interest rates to attract deposits since cash flows from investing activities were adequate to fund loan demand and deposit outflows. During that period, deposit pricing in the marketplace was reasonably disciplined, but there continued to be fierce competition for certificates of deposit and interest-bearing demand deposits emanating from those financial institutions receiving negative publicity due to asset quality problems. Also contributing to the competition for deposits, some financial institutions attempted to lock in depositors at current interest rates for longer terms as a hedge against future rate increases and, notwithstanding the FDIC's increase in insurance of deposit accounts, some depositors spread funds to other financial institutions to reduce their risk of loss on uninsured deposits following the collapse of several major banks. During the quarter ended December 31, 2008, deposit rates in the marketplace began to pull back in conjunction with the additional 200 basis point decrease in the federal funds rate. By December 2008, the Bank's deposit flows turned positive as the competition lowered their rates bringing them in line with those offered by the Bank. Since there was little demand for loans and virtually no return on cash and cash equivalents, management attempted to slow deposit inflows by cutting the Bank's deposit pricing several times, particularly for certificates of deposit. Nevertheless, deposits continued to build throughout the quarters ended March 31 and June 30, 2009. Depositors have been lengthening the maturities on their certificates of deposit, particularly by transferring maturing accounts to 24-month and 36-month certificates of deposit in order to improve the yield.

In October 2008, the Bank's Franklin Lakes, New Jersey retail branch was closed upon expiration of its lease and the deposits transferred to the nearby Wyckoff branch. In December 2008, \$8.4 million of deposits in the Irvington, New Jersey branch were sold to another financial institution.

**Advances from FHLB.** FHLB advances decreased \$8.0 million to \$210.0 million at June 30, 2009 from \$218.0 million at June 30, 2008. For the most part there was no need to borrow during fiscal 2009; therefore, the Bank repaid maturing advances totaling \$8.0 million with a weighted average cost of 5.47%.

Stockholders' Equity. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, stockholders' equity increased \$5.3 million to \$476.7 million from \$471.4 million at June 30, 2008. The increase was primarily the result of a \$10.0 million increase in accumulated other comprehensive income, net of income taxes, for the most part due to mark-to-market adjustments to the available for sale non-mortgage-backed securities and mortgage-backed securities portfolios as well as benefit plan related adjustments to equity per SFAS No. 158. Also contributing to the increase was net income of \$6.4 million, \$1.7 million of ESOP shares earned, \$3.1 million of restricted stock plan shares earned and an adjustment to equity of \$1.9 million for expensing stock options. Partially offsetting these increases were a \$14.0 million increase in treasury stock due to the purchase of 1,247,403 shares of the Company's common stock and cash dividends of \$3.5 million or \$0.20 per share, declared for payment to minority shareholders.

#### Comparison of Operating Results for the Years Ended June 30, 2009 and June 30, 2008

*General.* Net income for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 was \$6.4 million, or \$0.09 per diluted share; an increase of \$487,000 compared to \$5.9 million, or \$0.09 per diluted share for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The increase in net income year-over-year resulted primarily from an increase in net interest income, partially offset by increases in loss on sales and impairments of securities, non-interest expense and income taxes as well as an increase in provision for loan losses and a decrease in non-interest income (excluding loss on securities).

*Net Interest Income*. Net interest income for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 was \$53.7 million, an increase of \$6.9 million compared to \$46.8 million for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Net interest income increased year-over-year due to an increase in interest income and a decrease in interest expense.

The Company's net interest rate spread increased 44 basis points to 2.25% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from 1.81% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The 525 basis point reduction in the federal funds rate between September 2007 and December 2008 has had a significant effect on the Company's cost of funds and return on earning assets. The Bank's cumulative gap position or timing mismatch of potential re-pricing of assets and liabilities continued to be liability sensitive. As a result, the Bank's cost of funds declined more rapidly than the yield on its earning assets during the first half of the year. However, that trend started to change during the quarter ended March 31, 2009 such that the decrease in the yield on earning assets began to accelerate leading to a more rapid decline relative to the decrease in the cost of funds, due primarily to the accumulation of cash and cash equivalents. Year-over-year, the yield on average interest-earning assets decreased 15 basis points to 5.12% while the cost of average interest-bearing liabilities decreased 59 basis points to 2.87%. The average return on earning assets decreased due to decreases in the yield on average loans receivable, non-mortgage-backed securities and other interest-earning assets, partially offset by an increase in the yield on average mortgage-backed securities. During the same period, the average cost of funds decreased due to decreases in both the cost of average interest-bearing deposits and the cost of average borrowed money. The Bank anticipates that there will be further reductions in the cost of funds to the extent maturing certificates of deposit re-price lower.

The Company's net interest margin increased 27 basis points to 2.81% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, compared to 2.54% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The ratio of average interest-earning assets to average interest-bearing liabilities was 124.2% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, compared to 126.5% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Average interest-earning assets during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 were \$1.91 billion, an increase of \$64.3 million compared to \$1.85 billion during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Year-over-year, the increase in average interest-earning assets resulted from an increase in average loans receivable, partially offset by decreases in average mortgage-backed securities, non-mortgage-backed securities and other interest-earning assets. Average interest-bearing liabilities during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 were \$1.54 billion, an increase of \$79.2 million compared to \$1.46 billion during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Year-over-year, the increase in average interest-bearing liabilities resulted from increases in average interest-bearing deposits and average borrowed money. During the prior fiscal year, management considered FHLB advances to be a favorable alternative to certificates of deposit as a funding source given the interest rate environment at the time.

*Interest Income.* Total interest income increased \$541,000 to \$97.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, from \$97.4 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due to an increase in average interest-earning assets, partially offset by a decrease in average yield. The increase in interest income resulted primarily from an increase in interest on loans receivable and to a lesser degree

mortgage-backed securities, partially offset by decreases in interest from non-mortgage-backed securities and other interest-earning assets.

Interest income from loans receivable increased \$5.5 million to \$60.6 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$55.1 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due to growth in the average loan portfolio, partially offset by a decrease in average yield. In keeping with the Company's business plan, the loan portfolio continues to generate an increasing proportion of the Company's interest income. Average loans receivable constituted 55.7% of average interest-earning assets during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, compared to 51.5% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Average loans receivable increased \$113.0 million to \$1.06 billion during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, compared to \$951.0 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The steady decline in short-term interest rates since September 2007 contributed to a decrease in the average yield on loans receivable, which decreased 11 basis points to 5.69% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The average yield has been decreasing as higher coupon mortgages are replaced by new loans with lower coupons. Also contributing to the decrease in the loan portfolio's yield year-over-year was the increase in average residential first mortgages, home equity loans and home equity lines of credit relative to higher yielding nonresidential and multi-family mortgages and commercial business loans. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, average residential first mortgages, home equity loans and home equity lines of credit in aggregate totaled \$846.6 million, an increase of \$97.8 million from \$748.8 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. By comparison, average nonresidential and multi-family mortgages and commercial business loans in aggregate totaled \$198.1 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, an increase of \$13.2 million from \$184.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008.

Interest income from mortgage-backed securities increased \$171,000 to \$34.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$37.8 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due to an increase in average yield, partially offset by a decrease in average mortgage-backed securities. The average yield on mortgage-backed securities increased five basis points to 5.02% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from 4.97% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Average mortgage-backed securities decreased \$3.2 million to \$696.7 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$699.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. For the most part, rate adjustments on pass-through certificates containing adjustable-rate mortgages and discount accretion attributed to the addition of the mortgage-backed securities received from the AMF Fund were responsible for the increase in average yield. However, the average yield has been decreasing recently due to an increase in prepayments within the underlying mortgage portfolios as refinancing activity accelerates. Reinvestment of principal payments was limited to the purchase of \$77.4 million of new securities compared to repayments totaling \$138.5 million, contributing to the decrease in average mortgage-backed securities. Generally, management was reluctant to reinvest in additional mortgage-backed securities due to the low interest rate environment. To the extent that the Bank did not need the funds for loan originations the cash flows accumulated in cash and cash equivalents. Partially offsetting the decrease in the average balance was the addition of the mortgage-backed securities received from the AMF Fund during the quarter ended September 30, 2008.

Interest income from non-mortgage-backed securities decreased \$1.3 million to \$1.0 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$2.3 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due to a decrease in average securities as well as a decrease in average yield. Average non-mortgage-backed securities decreased \$19.5 million to \$33.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$53.4 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Average taxable securities decreased \$7.5 million to \$15.7 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$23.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due primarily to the redemption-in-kind of the AMF Fund, which resulted in the reclassification of the underlying mortgage-backed instruments to mortgage-

backed securities during the quarter ended September 30, 2008. Average tax-exempt securities decreased \$12.0 million to \$18.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$30.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due primarily to the sales of municipal bonds during the prior fiscal year. The average yield on non-mortgage-backed securities fell 116 basis points to 3.07% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from 4.23% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due primarily to the year-over-year decrease in the yield on taxable securities. The average yield on taxable securities decreased 251 basis points to 2.60%, while the average yield on tax-exempt securities decreased only seven basis points to 3.49%, year-over-year. Contributing to the decrease in the average yield on taxable securities was the effect of falling interest rates on SBA variable-rate pass-through certificates and variable-rate trust preferred securities as well as the redemption-in-kind of the AMF Fund.

Interest income from other interest-earning assets decreased \$3.8 million to \$1.4 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$5.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The decrease was due to decreases in average other interest-earning assets, primarily interest-earning deposits, and in the average yield on those assets. Average other interest-earning assets decreased \$26.0 million to \$115.8 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$141.8 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Average interest-earning deposits decreased \$28.1 million to \$102.8 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$130.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, partially offset by a \$2.1 million increase in average FHLB capital stock to \$13.0 million from \$10.9 million, year-over-year. Following the addition of \$200.0 million in FHLB advances during fiscal year 2008, cash and cash equivalents were redeployed to fund loan originations and purchases and was the primary factor contributing to the decrease in average other interest-earning assets until cash began to build in December 2008 and thereafter. The 525 basis point reduction in the federal funds rate between September 2007 and December 2008 was primarily responsible for the decrease in the yield on average other interest-earning assets, which fell 250 basis points from 3.68% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 to 1.18% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, including a 270 basis point decrease to 0.74% in the average yield on average interest-earning deposits.

*Interest Expense.* Total interest expense decreased \$6.3 million to \$44.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$50.5 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due to a decrease in the average cost of funds, partially offset by an increase in average interest-bearing liabilities. The decrease in interest expense resulted from a decrease in interest expense from deposits, partially offset by an increase in interest expense from borrowings.

Interest expense attributed to deposits decreased \$7.6 million to \$35.7 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$43.3 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The decrease resulted primarily from a decrease in the average cost of deposits, partially offset by an increase in average interest-bearing deposits. The average cost of interest-bearing deposits decreased 67 basis points to 2.70% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to 3.37% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due primarily to the decrease in the average cost of certificates of deposit. Average interest-bearing deposits increased \$39.2 million to \$1.32 billion during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$1.28 billion during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Year-over-year, average interest-bearing demand deposit accounts increased \$7.0 million to \$156.9 million due primarily to an increase in tiered money market deposit accounts, while their average cost decreased 47 basis points to 1.34%, in conjunction with falling short-term interest rates. The tiered money market deposit accounts were introduced during the prior year in an attempt to attract core deposits as well as to keep savings deposits from leaving the institution. Average savings accounts decreased \$10.3 million to \$293.5 million while their average cost decreased three basis points to 1.05%, as depositors transferred funds to alternative investments, including certificates of deposit and tiered money market deposit accounts. Average certificates of deposit increased \$42.6 million to \$873.3 million, while their average cost decreased 99 basis points to 3.50%. During the quarter ended December 31, 2008, deposit rates in the marketplace

began to pull back in conjunction with falling interest rates. As a result, the Bank's deposit flows turned positive as the competition lowered their rates bringing them in line with those offered by the Bank. Since there was little demand for loans and virtually no return on cash and cash equivalents, management attempted to control deposit inflows by cutting the Bank's deposit pricing several times, particularly for certificates of deposit. Nevertheless, deposits continued to build throughout the quarter ended June 30, 2009. As of June 30, 2009, approximately 81.8% of certificates of deposit mature within one year. Given the Bank's liability sensitive interest rate risk profile, further reductions in the Bank's cost of funds are possible to the extent maturing certificates of deposit re-price lower.

Interest expense attributed to FHLB advances increased \$1.3 million to \$8.5 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$7.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due to an increase in average borrowings, partially offset by a decrease in the average cost of borrowings. Average borrowings increased \$40.0 million to \$215.1 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$175.1 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The average cost of borrowings decreased 17 basis points to 3.95% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 from 4.12% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The Bank borrowed \$200.0 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 at a weighted average cost of 3.79% contributing to the decrease in the cost of average borrowings. The increase in borrowings during the prior period resulted primarily from a need to replenish liquidity utilized to fund loan originations and fund deposit outflows and make cash available for potential implementation of growth and diversification strategies related to execution of the Company's business plan. The advances were determined to be a cheaper funding source compared to certificates of deposit. Due to the Bank's excess liquidity, management repaid maturing advances totaling \$8.0 million with a weighted average cost of 5.47% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009.

*Provision for Loan Losses.* For the year ended June 30, 2009, the Company recorded a provision for loan losses of approximately \$317,000 representing an increase of \$223,000 from a provision of \$94,000 recorded during fiscal 2008. The provision during fiscal 2009 was augmented by approximately \$13,000 in net recoveries resulting in a net increase in the allowance for loan losses of approximately \$330,000 to \$6.4 million at June 30, 2009 from \$6.1 million at June 30, 2008.

This increase to the allowance during fiscal 2009 reflects net additions to specific valuation allowances of approximately \$267,000 relating to impaired loans coupled with net additions to general valuation allowances of approximately \$63,000 arising from the application of the historical and environmental loss factors to the outstanding balance of the remaining, non-impaired loans within the Company's portfolio.

By comparison, during fiscal 2008 the balance of the allowance for loan losses increased \$55,000 from \$6.0 million at June 30, 2007 to \$6.1 million at June 30, 2008 reflecting additional provisions of \$94,000 partially offset by net charge-offs of \$39,000. The provision for fiscal 2008 reflected the Company's implementation of a new allowance for loan loss calculation methodology coupled with the effects of continued net loan growth and a reduction in the balance of total classified assets from the earlier year.

A detailed discussion concerning the activity in the Company's allowance for loan loss, including the basis for the Company's provisions to the allowance for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2009 and June 30, 2008, is presented in the Lending Activity section of this document under the heading Allowance for Loan Losses located within the Asset Quality discussion.

**Non-Interest Income.** Non-interest income, excluding loss on sales and impairments of securities, decreased \$60,000 to \$2.6 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Fees and service charges increased \$79,000 to \$1.4 million

during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$1.3 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due primarily to an increase in fees from retail operations. Miscellaneous income decreased \$139,000 to \$1.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$1.4 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due primarily to a \$235,000 decrease in income from the Bank's official check clearing agent, partially offset by a \$132,000 gain realized from the sale of deposits in the Bank's Irvington, New Jersey retail branch. The official check clearing agent is no longer able to compensate its clients at a meaningful level for use of the float on official checks due to significant losses in its mortgage-backed securities portfolio.

Loss on sales and impairments of securities totaled \$1.13 million during fiscal 2009 compared to \$659,000 during the prior fiscal year. As a result of the redemption-in-kind of the AMF Fund in July 2008, the underlying securities were written down to fair value as of the trade date resulting in a pre-tax charge to earnings of \$415,000. During the quarter ended March 31, 2009, the Company recognized other-than-temporary impairments attributed to the non-agency collateralized mortgage obligations received from the fund totaling \$570,000, all of which were recorded through earnings. Of that balance, approximately \$290,000 was subsequently determined by the Company to be "credit-related" with the remaining \$280,000 attributed to noncredit-related factors. In accordance with its adoption of FSP FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2, the Company recorded a cumulative effect of adoption adjustment effective April 1, 2009 between retained earnings and accumulated other comprehensive income totaling \$165,000 representing the after-tax effect of the adoption. The Company also identified an additional \$144,000 of credit-related, other-than-temporary impairments that were recognized through earnings during the quarter ended June 30, 2009. An additional \$274,000 on noncredit-related other-than-temporary impairments were identified and recorded through accumulated other comprehensive income on a tax effected basis during that same quarter. During the prior fiscal year, an other-than-temporary impairment pre-tax charge of \$659,000 was recorded for the AMF Fund. Other gain/loss on sales of securities recorded during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 netted to zero.

**Non-Interest Expense.** Non-interest expense increased \$3.0 million, or 7.3% to \$43.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$40.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Year-over-year the increase in non-interest expense was primarily the result of increases in salaries and employee benefits expense, net occupancy expense of premises, federal deposit insurance premium expense and miscellaneous expense, partially offset by a decrease in amortization of intangible assets expense. Federal deposit insurance premium expense represented \$1.7 million, or 56.7% of the total increase in non-interest expense, year-over-year. All other elements of non-interest expense decreased in the aggregate by \$61,000, or 0.8%.

Salaries and employee benefits expense increased \$771,000 to \$25.4 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$24.7 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The increase in salaries and employee benefits was due primarily to a \$935,000 increase in compensation expense to \$14.7 million year-over year due primarily to normal salary increases, additions to the staff and payment of non-recurring severance packages totaling \$80,000. There was a \$650,000 reduction to \$262,000 in pension plan expense, year-over-year, primarily related to reduced contributions required by the Bank's multiple-employer pension plan. Also contributing to the increase was a \$489,000 increase in benefits expense to \$4.1 million, which resulted from a non-recurring dividend of \$253,000 the Bank received from its health insurance carrier during the comparative period as well as the year-over-year increase in health insurance costs. All other elements of salaries and employee expense which totaled \$6.4 million; including ESOP expense, stock benefit plans expense and payroll taxes expense, decreased in the aggregate by \$3,000.

Net occupancy expense of premises increased \$389,000 to \$4.1 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$3.7 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Rent expense, net, increased \$79,000 to \$354,000 due primarily to additional leased space occupied by new retail branches, which opened in Brick Township, New Jersey during March 2008 and Lakewood, New Jersey during May 2008. An increase of \$147,000 to \$1.04 million in repairs and maintenance expense was attributed to generally higher costs to maintain the Bank's facilities, including a \$100,000 increase in snow removal costs, year-over-year. Property taxes, depreciation, utilities and other expenses increased in the aggregate by \$163,000 to \$2.7 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009. Contributing to the increase in net occupancy expense of premises was the relocation of personnel to the second floor of the Company's administrative headquarters building in Fairfield, New Jersey, which had been previously unoccupied.

Federal deposit insurance premium expense increased \$1.7 million to \$1.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$186,000 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The Bank used its remaining special assessment credit of \$579,000 to offset the cost of its deposit insurance premium, which was fully utilized by March 31, 2009. The FDIC's assessment for deposit insurance increased \$806,000 to \$992,000 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$186,000 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 due primarily to an increase in the assessment rate. The final rule for the quarter ended March 31, 2009 raised the assessment rate for the most highly rated institutions to between 12 and 14 basis points, which increased the Bank's assessment rate five basis points to 12 basis points (annualized). An additional significant contributing factor to the increase was the FDIC's special assessment of \$872,000, which was based on the Bank's June 30, 2009 Total Assets minus Tier 1 Capital multiplied by five basis points.

Amortization of intangible assets expense decreased \$212,000 to \$29,000 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$241,000 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The decrease was due to the completion in October 2007 of amortization of an intangible asset acquired during the purchase of West Essex Bank in 2003.

Miscellaneous expense increased \$418,000 to \$4.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to \$4.4 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Of note, fiscal 2009 included a \$75,000 non-recurring payment made to an information technology service provider for purpose of hiring the provider's employee, a \$106,000 increase in loan expense due primarily to higher servicing fees resulting from an increase in the Bank's serviced mortgage portfolio and a \$138,000 increase in correspondent bank service charges. The higher correspondent bank service charges were primarily attributed to costs associated with implementation of digitally imaged customer check deposits.

**Provision for Income Taxes.** The provision for income taxes increased \$2.6 million to \$4.6 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 from \$2.0 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The Company's effective tax rate was approximately 41.8% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to 24.8% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The effective tax rate increased due to an increase in pre-tax income as well as a reduction in income from tax-exempt instruments as a percentage of pre-tax income as pre-tax income increased.

Tax-exempt interest was 10.8% of income before taxes during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009 compared to 20.7% of income before taxes during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Also contributing to the higher effective tax rate year-over-year was a \$1.2 million income tax benefit recognized during the year ended June 30, 2008 attributable to the reversal of a previously established valuation allowance related to state net operating loss carryforwards.

#### Comparison of Operating Results for the Years Ended June 30, 2008 and June 30, 2007

*General.* Net income for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 was \$5.9 million or \$0.09 per diluted share, an increase of \$4.0 million from \$1.9 million or \$0.03 per diluted share for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The increase in net income year-over-year resulted primarily from a decrease in non-interest expense as well as an increase in net interest income, a decrease in the provision for loan losses and an increase in non-interest income, partially offset by an increase in income taxes and a loss on impairment of securities. The decrease in non-interest expense was attributable primarily to a decrease in salaries and employee benefits expense.

*Net Interest Income*. Net interest income for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 was \$46.8 million, an increase of \$1.7 million or 3.8%, compared to \$45.1 million for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The increase in net interest income was due to an increase in interest income, partially offset by a nominal increase in interest expense.

The Company's net interest rate spread increased eleven basis points to 1.81% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 from 1.70% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Year-over-year, the yield on average interest-earning assets increased 12 basis points to 5.27% while the cost of average interest-bearing liabilities increased one basis point to 3.46%. The increase in the yield on average interest-earning assets was due to increases in the yields on average loans receivable, mortgage-backed securities and non-mortgage-backed securities, partially offset by a decrease in the yield on other interest-earning assets. The yield on average interest-earnings assets improved due to the redeployment of cash and cash equivalents to loans receivable and mortgage-backed securities; however, the 325 basis point reduction in the federal funds rate between September 2007 and May 2008 had a negative impact on interest income derived from cash and cash equivalents and interest income overall until the funds were redeployed. The cost of average interest-bearing liabilities remained virtually unchanged. While the cost of average interest-bearing deposits remained steady at 3.37% for both years, average borrowing costs declined to 4.12% from 5.51%, with overall cost changed little due to an increased level of borrowings. Year-over-year, the Bank's one-year cumulative gap or the mismatch between re-pricing assets and liabilities continued to be liability sensitive. At June 30, 2008, the Bank's one-year cumulative gap was approximately -9.5% compared to approximately -20.9% at June 30, 2007. As a result of being liability sensitive, the Company was positioned to realize an increase in net interest income since the cost of funds were declining by more than the decline in the yield on earning assets as the fiscal year drew to a close.

The Company's net interest margin increased eleven basis points to 2.54% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, compared with 2.43% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Average interest-earning assets during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 were \$1.85 billion, virtually unchanged from the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Average loans receivable and mortgage-backed securities increased, virtually offset by decreases in average non-mortgage-backed securities and other interest-earning assets, which had a favorable impact on yield. Average interest-bearing liabilities during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 were \$1.46 billion, also virtually unchanged from the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Average borrowings increased, virtually offset by a decrease in average interest-bearing deposits. As a result of the interest rate environment during the first six months of the fiscal year, management considered FHLB advances to be a favorable alternative to certificates of deposit as a funding source. The ratio of average interest-earning assets to average interest-bearing liabilities was 126.5% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, compared to 126.8% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007.

*Interest Income.* Total interest income increased \$1.8 million or 1.9%, to \$97.4 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from \$95.6 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The increase in interest income resulted from increases in interest on loans receivable and mortgage-backed securities partially offset by decreases in interest from non-mortgage-backed securities and other interest-earning assets.

Interest income from loans receivable increased \$10.1 million or 22.4%, to \$55.1 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from \$45.0 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007 due primarily to growth in the portfolio as well as an improvement in average yield. Average loans receivable increased \$165.8 million to \$951.0 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from \$785.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. In implementing the Bank's business plan, management continued to focus on increasing the size of the loan portfolio. Average loans receivable constituted 51.5% of average interest-earning assets during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, compared to 42.3% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The yield on average loans receivable increased seven basis points to 5.80% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, compared to 5.73% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The improvement in yield was due in part to growth in the nonresidential and multi-family mortgage categories, with the average balance increasing in aggregate \$39.9 million to \$178.9 million, a change of 28.7% year-over-year. By comparison, the average balances outstanding of one-to-four family mortgages increased \$110.5 million or 21.8%, to \$617.1 million, year-over-year. Rate adjustments on adjustable-rate mortgages as well as higher interest rates on loans closed during the current period compared to loans closed during the comparative period also contributed to the improvement in yield, though falling interest rates during the second half of the fiscal year have negatively impacted the portfolio yield. The weighted average nominal rate of the loans in the portfolio was 5.79% as of June 30, 2008, compared to 5.81% at June 30, 2007.

Interest income from mortgage-backed securities increased \$2.6 million or 8.1%, to \$34.8 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, compared to \$32.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007 due to an increase in average mortgage-backed securities and an increase in the average yield. Average mortgage-backed securities increased \$26.0 million to \$699.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 compared to \$673.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. To the extent that the Bank did not need the funds for loan originations, management reinvested cash flows from principal and interest payments into additional mortgage-backed securities, which contributed to the increase in the average balance year-over-year. The yield on average mortgage-backed securities increased 19 basis points to 4.97% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from 4.78% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. During the quarter ending September 30, 2007, management implemented a nominal leverage strategy utilizing a part of the proceeds from FHLB advances to fund the purchase of \$24.8 million of 15-year and 20-year fixed-rate mortgage-backed securities, which contributed to the increase in yield. The leverage strategy was expanded to include the purchase of an additional \$19.7 million of 20-year fixed-rate product during the quarter ended March 31, 2008. Rate adjustments on pass-through certificates containing adjustable-rate mortgages and higher coupons on securities purchased during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 compared to purchases during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007 also contributed to the increase in yield. During the year ending June 30, 2008, \$142.6 million or 63.6% of the mortgage-backed securities purchased were adjustable-rate product. Though lower interest rates could negatively impact the portfolio yield in the future due to the emphasis on purchasing adjustable-rate product, this was not a factor during the fiscal year as the weighted average nominal rate of the mortgage-backed securities in the portfolio was 5.13% as of June 30, 2008, compared to 4.94% at June 30, 2007.

Interest income from non-mortgage-backed securities decreased \$3.9 million or 62.9%, to \$2.3 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from \$6.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007 due to a decrease in average securities partially offset by an improvement in average yield. Average securities decreased \$97.9 million to \$53.4 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, compared to \$151.3 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The decrease in the average balance was due primarily to the sales of municipal bonds, totaling \$48.5 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Average tax-exempt securities decreased \$95.9 million to \$30.2 million while average taxable securities decreased \$2.0 million to \$23.2 million, year-over-year. Management

continued to sell municipal bonds due to a preference for securities that provide a steady cash flow. To the extent not required to fund loan originations, management reinvested the proceeds from the sales into cash equivalents pending redeployment into other interest-earning assets. The yield on average securities improved 13 basis points from 4.10% for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007, to 4.23% for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The higher yield on the securities portfolio resulted primarily from the sale of the lower yielding municipal bonds partially offset by downward rate adjustments on pass-through certificates containing Small Business Administration adjustable-rate loans and adjustable-rate trust preferred securities beginning during the quarter ended December 31, 2007.

Interest income from other interest-earning assets decreased \$7.0 million or 57.4%, to \$5.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from \$12.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The decrease was due to a decrease in average other interest-bearing assets, primarily interest-earning deposits, as well as a decrease in average yield. There was a \$102.1 million decrease in average other interest-earning assets to \$141.8 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from \$243.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. For the most part, management utilized the cash and cash equivalents to fund loan originations and loan purchases and fund deposit outflows. During the prior year, to the extent that the Bank did not need the funds for loan originations, management maintained liquidity at an elevated level to take advantage of high short-term interest rates resulting from the inverted Treasury yield curve at the time. Partially offsetting the \$107.7 million decrease in interest-earning deposits, average FHLB capital stock increased \$5.6 million due to the increase in FHLB advances during the first six months of the fiscal year. The 325 basis point reduction in the federal funds rate between September 2007 and May 2008 was primarily responsible for the decrease in the yield on average interest-earning assets, which fell 131 basis points from 4.99% to 3.68%. The yield on interest-earnings deposits decreased 151 basis points to 3.44% and the return on FHLB capital stock decreased twelve basis points to 6.56%, year-over-year.

*Interest Expense*. Total interest expense increased \$60,000 or 0.1%, virtually unchanged at \$50.5 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The cost of average interest-bearing liabilities was virtually unchanged, increasing one basis point to 3.46% and average interest-bearing liabilities was unchanged at \$1.46 billion, year-over-year.

Interest expense from deposits decreased \$4.1 million or 8.6%, to \$43.3 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from \$47.3 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The decrease resulted from a decrease in average interest-bearing deposits, with no increase in the average cost of deposits. The cost of average interest-bearing deposits was unchanged at 3.37% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, compared to the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Average interest-bearing deposits decreased \$121.2 million to \$1.28 billion during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from \$1.41 billion during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Average interest-bearing demand deposit accounts increased \$13.2 million to \$149.9 million due to an increase in tiered money market deposit accounts, which became a popular substitute for traditional passbook and statement savings accounts, while their average cost decreased ten basis points to 1.81% following other short-term interest rates lower. Average savings accounts decreased \$32.2 million to \$303.8 million, while their average cost decreased three basis points to 1.08% as depositors transferred funds to alternative investments. Average certificates of deposit decreased \$102.2 million to \$830.7 million, while their cost increased ten basis points to 4.49%. Given the Bank's interest rate risk profile, management expects a reduction in interest rates and restoration of a more normal yield curve to improve the Company's profitability. With approximately 81.3% of certificates of deposit maturing within one year, the recent reductions in the federal funds rate are expected to contribute to a subsequent decrease in the cost of deposits. A significant trend is evident when comparing the current year's interest rate stratification for certificates of deposit to that of the prior year: At June 30, 2008, the Bank had \$91.9 million of certificates of deposit with interest rates between 2.00% and 2.99%, compared to \$17.5 million at June 30, 2007; at June 30, 2008, the B

million of certificates of deposit with interest rates between 3.00% and 3.99%, compared to \$131.4 million at June 30, 2007; at June 30, 2008, the Bank had \$473.6 million of certificates of deposit with interest rates between 4.00% and 4.99%, compared to \$488.5 million at June 30, 2007; and most importantly, at June 30, 2008 the Bank had \$7.0 million of certificates of deposit with interest rates between 5.00% and 5.99%, compared to \$250.7 million at June 30, 2007. Overall, the average interest rate on certificates of deposit declined to 3.93% at June 30, 2008 from 4.55% at June 30, 2007.

Interest expense from FHLB advances increased \$4.1 million or 132.3%, to \$7.2 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from \$3.1 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Average borrowings increased \$118.5 million to \$175.1 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from \$56.6 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The cost of average borrowings decreased 139 basis points to 4.12% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 from 5.51% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The increase in borrowings resulted primarily from a need to replenish liquidity utilized to fund loan originations and fund deposit outflows and make cash available for potential implementation of growth and diversification strategies related to execution of the Company's business plan. The Bank borrowed \$200.0 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 at a weighted average cost of 3.79% resulting in the decrease in the cost of average borrowings. The advances were determined to be a cheaper funding source compared to certificates of deposit. Management did not renew a \$10.0 million advance, which carried an interest rate of 5.59% when it matured in March 2008. An amortizing advance with an original face value of \$5.0 million and an interest rate of 6.03% was also paid in full during February 2008.

**Provision for Loan Losses.** The provision for loan losses decreased \$477,000, to \$94,000 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from a \$571,000 provision recorded during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Management attributes the decrease principally to the absence of any material change in asset quality. Non-performing loans were \$1.6 million or 0.15% of total loans of \$1.03 billion at June 30, 2008 compared to \$1.5 million or 0.17% of total loans of \$865.0 million at June 30, 2007. Net charge-offs during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 were \$39,000 compared to \$-0- during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007, but as a percentage of average loans net charge-offs were zero percent during each of the comparative periods. The allowance for loan losses as a percentage of total loans outstanding was 0.59% at June 30, 2008 and 0.70% at June 30, 2007, reflecting allowance balances of \$6.1 million and \$6.0 million, respectively. The allowance for loan losses as a percentage of non-performing loans was 388.1% at June 30, 2008 and 406.3% at June 30, 2007. There were no recoveries during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 compared to a recovery of \$27,000 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007.

*Non-Interest Income.* Non-interest income, excluding gain/loss on securities, increased \$274,000 or 11.4%, to \$2.7 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 compared to \$2.4 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007 due to a \$344,000 increase in fees and service charges, partially offset by a \$70,000 decrease in miscellaneous income. Total non-interest income decreased \$440,000 or 18.3%, to \$2.0 million from \$2.4 million, year-over-year.

Fees and service charges from branch retail operations increased \$384,000 due primarily to the overdraft privilege program introduced in May 2007, partially offset by a \$39,000 decrease in other fees and service charges, due primarily to a \$41,000 decrease in mortgage loan fees.

Miscellaneous income decreased \$70,000, due primarily to a \$68,000 decrease in income from the Bank's official check clearing agent and a \$30,000 decrease in income from miscellaneous nonrecurring sources, partially offset by a \$29,000 increase in the cash surrender value of bank owned life insurance. The Bank is compensated for use of the float on our official checks by the clearing agent, whose primary source of income was a portfolio of mortgage-backed instruments, which was negatively impacted by the housing and credit crises.

There was no non-interest income attributed to the gain on sale of securities available for sale during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 compared to a \$55,000 net gain on the sale of municipal bonds recorded during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. As described in the Securities Portfolio section of Part I. Item 1., the Company recognized a pre-tax non-cash charge to earnings of \$659,000 as a result of other-than-temporary impairment in the value of the Bank's investment in the AMF Fund, during the quarter ended June 30, 2008.

Non-Interest Expense. Non-interest expense decreased \$4.0 million or 8.9%, to \$40.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from \$44.9 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The decrease in non-interest expense resulted primarily from a decrease in salaries and employee benefits expense of \$2.9 million. Also contributing were decreases in equipment expense, advertising expense and amortization of intangible assets expense of \$139,000, \$648,000 and \$395,000, respectively, and reductions in federal deposit insurance premiums expense and directors' compensation expense totaling \$81,000 in aggregate. Partially offsetting the decrease was an increase in net occupancy expense of premises and miscellaneous expense of \$280,000 and \$55,000, respectively.

Salaries and employee benefits decreased \$2.9 million or 10.5%, to \$24.7 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, compared to \$27.6 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Pension plan expense contributed the most significant reduction, decreasing \$1.8 million year-over-year to \$913,000. Effective July 1, 2007, the Company implemented a freeze on all future benefit accruals under the Bank's non-contributory defined benefit pension plan and related benefit equalization plan. The freeze provides additional flexibility in controlling the costs associated with the plans while still preserving the participants' earned and vested benefits. Benefits expense decreased \$448,000 to \$3.7 million due primarily to a non-recurring dividend of \$253,000 received from the Bank's health insurer based on the ratio of earned premiums to premiums paid during 2006, a savings of \$92,000 resulting from the implementation of contributory health insurance for employees beginning during the quarter ended March 31, 2008 and savings of \$82,000 due to a change in the accounting treatment of dividends on unvested restricted stock. ESOP expense, including the expense of the ESOP Benefit Equalization Plan, decreased \$444,000 to \$1.8 million due to a decrease in the average market price of the Company's common stock during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 compared to the prior period. Stock benefits plan expense decreased \$128,000 to \$3.4 million due to a forfeiture of unvested restricted stock and unvested stock options in the prior year. Compensation and payroll tax expenses remained virtually unchanged at \$13.7 million and \$1.1 million, respectively. Normal salary increases were partially offset by a decision by the President and CEO of the Company and the Bank, John N. Hopkins, that he would voluntarily forgo the cash bonus payment recommended by the Compensation Committee and approved by the Board of Directors in December 2007. Mr. Hopkins was motivated to do so as part of the Company's overall cost cutting effort. Mr. Hopkins previously received a cash bonus payment of \$90,000 in December 2006. A combination of lower payments to non-exempt employees for unused vacation days during the prior calendar year and a reduction in staff due to routine attrition also contributed to offsetting normal salary increases. Compensation expense in the current year included \$33,000 in overtime paid to personnel involved in reconciling differences resulting from system problems at the Bank's data processing provider, which was subsequently reimbursed during fiscal 2009.

Net occupancy expense of premises increased \$280,000 or 8.1%, to \$3.7 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 from \$3.5 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Rent expense, net, increased \$85,000 to \$275,000 due primarily to additional leased space occupied by new retail branches, which opened in Brick Township, New Jersey during March 2008 and Lakewood, New Jersey during May 2008. Increases in rental income from surplus Bank space leased to others generally offset annual increases in rent expense. Repairs and maintenance expense increased \$58,000 to \$889,000 due primarily to higher costs incurred to maintain the Bank's retail branch network. Property taxes expense

and utilities expense increased \$91,000 to \$954,000 and \$82,000 to \$680,000, respectively. Partially offsetting the increases were decreases in depreciation expense and other expenses of \$20,000 to \$892,000 and \$16,000 to \$54,000, respectively.

Equipment expense decreased \$139,000 or 3.0%, to \$4.5 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 from \$4.6 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Furniture, fixtures and equipment maintenance expense and depreciation expense decreased \$103,000 to \$787,000 and \$54,000 to \$914,000, respectively. Service bureau expense was virtually unchanged at \$2.8 million, year-over-year. Increases attributed to peripheral EDP service providers including network administration, records retention, Internet banking and bill pay, ATM and debit card processing and merchant processing were partially offset by a decrease in data communication costs between the Bank and its core processor and the prior year included a nonrecurring charge of \$88,000 resulting from the settlement of a dispute with an electronic data processing service provider.

Advertising expense decreased \$648,000 or 43.2%, to \$852,000 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 from \$1.5 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. Expenditures for all forms of media advertising were lower, particularly newspaper ads, which decreased approximately \$485,000, year-over-year. There were significant decreases in the marketing of deposit products, which had been the focal point of an extensive advertising campaign during the prior fiscal year. Advertising during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 was generally limited to marketing loan products.

Amortization of intangible assets expense decreased \$395,000 or 62.1%, to \$241,000 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 compared to \$636,000 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The decrease was due to the completion of amortization of an intangible asset acquired during the purchase of West Essex Bank in 2003, during the quarter ended December 31, 2007.

*Provision for Income Taxes.* The provision for income taxes increased \$1.73 million to \$1.95 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, from \$221,000 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007.

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, the Company reversed the valuation allowances totaling \$1.2 million for the state alternative minimum assessment and the benefit to be derived from utilization of the state net operating loss carryforward for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2006 and the benefit to be derived from utilization of the state net operating loss carryforward for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. With the dissolution of Kearny Federal Investment Corp. and the transfer of its assets to the Bank, the Bank is projected to have sufficient future taxable income to effectively utilize its state net operating loss carryforwards. Accordingly, the related deferred tax assets are now considered to be more likely than not to be realized. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, the Company established a valuation allowance for other-than-temporary impairment of the Bank's AMF Fund for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, as this deferred tax asset is not more likely than not to be realized. Having subsequently invoked a redemption-in-kind provision in July 2008, however, both the Company and the Bank are now positioned to recognize benefits for federal and state income tax purposes during the quarter ending September 30, 2008. The pre-tax impairment charges of \$659,000 recorded during the quarter ended June 30, 2008 and \$415,000 resulting from the redemption-in-kind in July became, upon the redemption-in-kind, subject to income tax benefits of approximately \$140,000 and \$25,000, respectively.

The Company's effective tax rate was approximately 24.8% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, compared to 10.3% during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The effective tax rate increased due to a reduction in income from tax-exempt instruments as a percentage of pre-tax income as pre-tax income increased. Tax-exempt interest was 20.7% of income before taxes during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 compared to 242.9% of income before taxes during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007.

**Average Balance Sheet.** The following table sets forth certain information relating to Kearny Financial Corp. at and for the periods indicated. We derived the average yields and costs by dividing income or expense by the average balance of assets or liabilities, respectively, for the periods presented with daily balances used to derive average balances.

	At June 30,		For the Year	rs Ended J	une 30,							
	2009 Actual	Actual	2009 Average		Average	2008 Average		Average	2007 Average		Average	
	Balance	Yield/Cost	Balance	Interest	Yield/Cost	Balance	Interest	Yield/Cost	Balance	Interest	Yield/Co	st
Interest-earning	(Dollars in T	'housands)										
assets:												
Loans receivable(1)	\$1,045,847	5.74	% \$1,064,019	\$60,559	5.69	<b>%</b> \$951,019	\$55,123	5.80 %	\$785,210	\$44,972	5.73	%
Mortgage-backed	+ =,0,0		. , -,,	+ ,		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	+,		+ / 00 ,= - 0	7 ,		
securities <sup>(2)</sup>	688,106	4.96	696,672	34,944	5.02	699,942	34,773	4.97	673,904	32,222	4.78	
Securities: <sup>(2)</sup>												
Tax-exempt	18,340	3.48	18,183	634	3.49	30,200	1,074	3.56	126,095	4,708	3.73	
Taxable	9,687	2.01	15,721	408	2.60	23,191	1,186	5.11	25,240	1,492	5.91	
Other												
interest-earning	100 505	0.42	117.006	1 262	1.10	141.702	5.011	2.60	242.067	10.167	4.00	
assets <sup>(3)</sup> Total	198,505	0.43	115,806	1,363	1.18	141,792	5,211	3.68	243,867	12,167	4.99	
interest-earning												
assets	1,960,485	4.89	1,910,401	97,908	5.12	1,846,144	97,367	5.27	1,854,316	95,561	5.15	
Non-interest-earning			, ,									
assets	164,436		169,408			158,737			152,926			
Total assets	\$2,124,921		\$2,079,809			\$2,004,881			\$2,007,242			
Interest-bearing												
liabilities:												
Interest-bearing demand	\$163,611	1.09	\$156,883	2,098	1 34	\$149,871	2,714	1.81	\$136,622	2,612	1.91	
Savings and club	301,637	1.02	293,483		1.05	303,818	3,272	1.08	336,067	3,740	1.11	
Certificates of	301,037	1.02	273,403	3,072	1.05	303,818	3,212	1.00	330,007	3,740	1.11	
deposit	904,743	2.97	873,257	30,524	3.50	830,726	37,322	4.49	932,901	40,999	4.39	
Federal Home Loan	•		ŕ									
Bank advances	210,000	3.87	215,077	8,506	3.95	175,081	7,220	4.12	56,615	3,117	5.51	
Total												
interest-bearing liabilities	1,579,991	2 52	1,538,700	44,200	2 87	1,459,496	50,528	3.46	1,462,205	50,468	3.45	
Non-interest-bearing		2.32	1,556,700	77,200	2.07	1,439,490	30,326	3.40	1,402,203	50,400	3.43	
liabilities (4)	68,210		68,441			75,976			72,094			
Total liabilities	1,648,201		1,607,141			1,535,472			1,534,299			
Stockholders' equity	476,720		472,668			469,409			472,943			
Total liabilities and	•					•			,			
stockholders' equity	\$2,124,921		\$2,079,809			\$2,004,881			\$2,007,242			
Net interest income				\$53,708			\$46,839			\$45,093		
Interest rate		2.25	-			eri.		101 ~			1.70	~
spread <sup>(5)</sup>		2.37	6		2.25	%		1.81 %			1.70	%
Net yield on interest-earning												
assets <sup>(6)</sup>					2.81	%		2.54 %			2.43	%
Ratio of								,-				•
interest-earning												
assets to												
interest-bearing	1 24		1 24			1 26			1 27			
liabilities	1.24x		1.24x			1.26x			1.27x			

- (1) Non-accruing loans have been included in loans receivable and the effect of such inclusion was not material. Allowance for loan losses has been included in non-interest-earning assets.
- (2) Mark to market valuation allowances have been excluded in the average balances of interest-earning assets.
- (3) Includes interest-bearing deposits at other banks and Federal Home Loan Bank of New York capital stock.
- (4) Includes average balances of non-interest-bearing deposits of \$51,132, \$59,169 and \$57,226, for the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, respectively.
- (5) Interest rate spread represents the difference between the yield on interest-earning assets and the cost of interest-bearing liabilities.
- (6) Net yield on interest-earning assets represents net interest income as a percentage of interest-earning assets.

**Rate/Volume Analysis.** The following table reflects the sensitivity of Kearny Financial Corp.'s interest income and interest expense to changes in volume and in prevailing interest rates during the periods indicated. Each category reflects the: (1) changes in volume (changes in volume multiplied by old rate); (2) changes in rate (changes in rate multiplied by old volume); and (3) net change. The net change attributable to the combined impact of volume and rate has been allocated proportionally to the absolute dollar amounts of change in each.

	Years Ended June 30, 2009 vs. 2008				Years Ended June 30, 2008 vs. 2007			
	Increase (	Decrease)			Increase (l			
	Due to				Due to			
	Volume	Rate	Net		Volume	Rate	Net	
	(In Thousa	nds)						
Interest and dividend income:								
Net loans receivable	\$ 6,492	\$ (1,056	) \$ 5,436		\$ 9,596	\$ 555	\$ 10,151	
Mortgage-backed securities	(168	) 339	171		1,257	1,294	2,551	
Securities:								
Tax-exempt	(419	) (21	) (440)		(3,429	) (205	) (3,634 )	
Taxable	(308	) (470	) (778)		(115	) (191	) (306 )	
Other interest-earning assets	(818	) (3,030	) (3,848)		(4,275	) (2,681	) (6,956 )	
Total interest-earning assets	\$ 4,779	\$ (4,238	) \$ 541		\$ 3,034	\$ (1,228	) \$ 1,806	
Interest expense:								
Interest-bearing demand	\$ 121	\$ (737	) \$ (616	)	\$ 244	\$ (142	) \$ 102	
Savings and club	(110	) (90	) (200	)	(365	) (103	) (468 )	
Certificates of deposit	1,818	(8,616	) (6,798	)	(4,588	) 911	(3,677 )	
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	1,593	(307	) 1,286		5,066	(963	) 4,103	
Total interest-bearing liabilities	\$ 3,422	\$ (9,750	) \$ (6,328	)	\$ 357	\$ (297	) \$ 60	
Change in net interest income	\$ 1,357	\$ 5,512	\$ 6,869		\$ 2,677	\$ (931	) \$ 1,746	

#### **Liquidity and Commitments**

Our liquidity, represented by cash and cash equivalents, is a product of our operating, investing and financing activities. Our primary sources of funds are deposits, amortization, prepayments and maturities of mortgage-backed securities and outstanding loans, maturities and calls of securities and funds provided from operations. In addition, we invest excess funds in short-term interest-earning assets such as overnight deposits or U.S. agency securities, which provide liquidity to meet lending requirements. While scheduled payments from the amortization of loans and mortgage-backed securities and maturing securities and short-term investments are relatively predictable sources of funds, general interest rates, economic conditions and competition greatly influence deposit flows and prepayments on loans and mortgage-backed securities.

The Bank is required to have enough investments that qualify as liquid assets in order to maintain sufficient liquidity to ensure a safe operation. Liquidity may increase or decrease depending upon the availability of funds and comparative yields on investments in relation to the return on loans. We attempt to maintain adequate but not excessive liquidity and liquidity management is both a daily and long-term function of business management.

Cash and cash equivalents, consisting primarily of interest-bearing deposits in other banks increased \$79.8 million to \$211.5 million at June 30, 2009 from \$131.7 million at June 30, 2008. During the quarters ended September 30 and December 31, 2008 liquidity decreased as cash and cash equivalents were redeployed to fund loan originations, loan purchases or deposit outflows. However, by December cash and cash equivalents began to increase as the competition reduced their deposit account rates bringing them in line with those offered by the Bank. Despite several rounds of interest rate cuts by the Bank during the quarters ended March 31 and June 30, 2009, deposits continued to increase as loan demand declined contributing to a significant increase in cash and cash equivalents. At June 30, 2009, interest-bearing deposits included \$25.6 million on deposit with a money center bank and \$160.0 million on deposit with the FHLB of New York. Management routinely transfers funds between the two depository institutions to maximize the return on the funds, with the former pricing off of 30-day Libor and the latter off of the federal funds rate.

Management reviews cash flow projections regularly and updates them quarterly in order to maintain liquid assets at levels believed to meet the requirements of normal operations, including loan commitments and potential deposit outflows from maturing certificates of deposit and savings withdrawals. Commitments at the close of fiscal 2009 were not materially different from commitments at the close of the prior fiscal year. At June 30, 2009, the Bank had outstanding commitments to originate loans of \$35.0 million compared to \$39.4 million at June 30, 2008. Construction loans in process and unused lines of credit were \$7.6 million and \$24.9 million, respectively, at June 30, 2009 compared to \$9.1 million and \$27.3 million, respectively, at June 30, 2008. At June 30, 2009, the Bank had \$740.4 million of certificates of deposit maturing in one year compared to \$710.0 million at June 30, 2008.

At June 30, 2009, the Bank had agreements to fund the purchase of loans on a flow basis of \$8.7 million compared to \$13.2 million at June 30, 2008. The Bank periodically enters into purchase agreements with a limited number of smaller, local mortgage companies to supplement the Bank's loan production pipeline. These agreements call for the purchase, on a flow basis, of mortgage loans with servicing released to the Bank.

Deposits increased \$42.2 million to \$1.42 billion at June 30, 2009 from \$1.38 billion at June 30, 2008. During the quarter ended September 30, 2008, deposits decreased \$30.0 million, but increased by \$2.3 million, \$53.3 million and \$16.6 million each quarter thereafter, respectively. During the fiscal 2009, interest-bearing demand deposits increased \$11.9 million to \$163.6 million, savings deposits

increased \$1.2 million to \$301.6 million, certificates of deposit increased \$31.1 million to \$904.7 million and non-interest-bearing demand deposits decreased \$2.1 million to \$51.2 million.

During the first two quarters of the fiscal year, the Bank priced deposit interest rates at levels management considered to be reasonably competitive in the marketplace. The Bank determined that there was no need to increase interest rates to attract deposits since cash flows from investing activities were adequate to fund loan demand and deposit outflows. During that period, deposit pricing in the marketplace was reasonably disciplined, but there continued to be fierce competition for certificates of deposit and interest-bearing demand deposits emanating from those financial institutions receiving negative publicity due to asset quality problems. Also contributing to the competition for deposits, some financial institutions attempted to lock in depositors at current interest rates for longer terms as a hedge against future rate increases and, notwithstanding the FDIC's increase in insurance of deposit accounts, some depositors spread funds to other financial institutions to reduce their risk of loss on uninsured deposits following the collapse of several major banks. During the quarter ended December 31, 2008, deposit rates in the marketplace began to pull back in conjunction with the additional 200 basis point decrease in the federal funds rate. By December 2008, the Bank's deposit flows turned positive as the competition lowered their rates bringing them in line with those offered by the Bank. Since there was little demand for loans and virtually no return on cash and cash equivalents, management attempted to slow deposit inflows by cutting the Bank's deposit pricing several times, particularly for certificates of deposit. Nevertheless, deposits continued to build throughout the quarters ended March 31 and June 30, 2009.

Borrowings from the FHLB of New York are available to supplement the Bank's liquidity position and to the extent that maturing deposits do not remain with us, management may replace the funds with advances. The Bank has the capacity to borrow additional funds from the FHLB, through an overnight line of credit of \$200.0 million or by taking additional short-term or long-term advances. The Bank borrowed \$200.0 million during fiscal 2008 to replenish liquidity previously depleted by loan originations and deposit outflows and make cash available for potential implementation of growth and diversification strategies related to execution of the Company's business plan. As of June 30, 2009, the Bank's borrowing potential was \$23.5 million without pledging additional collateral. For the most part there was no need to borrow during fiscal 2009; therefore, the Bank repaid maturing advances totaling \$8.0 million.

The following table discloses our contractual obligations and commitments as of June 30, 2009.

		Less Than	1.23	4.5.37	After
	Total	1 Year	1-3 Years	4-5 Years	5 Years
	(In Thousands)				
Operating lease obligations	\$ 3,945	\$ 495	\$ 782	\$ 492	\$ 2,176
Certificates of deposit	904,743	740,383	135,403	28,953	4
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	210,000	<u> </u>	10,000	_	200,000
Total	\$ 1,118,688	\$ 740,878	\$ 146,185	\$ 29,445	\$ 202,180
	Total				
		Less Than			After
	Committed	1 Year	1-3 Years	4-5 Years	5 Years
	(In Thousands)				
Undisbursed funds from approved lines of credit(1)	\$ 24,901	\$ 2,145	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 22,756
Construction loans in process	7,574	7,574			<u>—</u>
Other commitments to extend credit <sup>(1)</sup>	34,965	32,638	2,327	_	_
Total	\$ 67,440	\$ 42,357	\$ 2,327	\$ —	\$ 22,756

Represents amounts committed to customers.

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Our material capital expenditure plans for the year ending June 30, 2010 include extensive renovations and improvements to one Bank property. We expect work to begin this year at our existing retail branch in Lyndhurst and anticipate approximately \$1.3 million in funds will be required for the plan related to this location. The general business purpose of these expenditures is to maintain and improve the Bank's facilities. We anticipate that cash flows from our normal operations will be sufficient for these expenditure plans.

#### **Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements**

We are a party to financial instruments with off-balance-sheet risk in the normal course of our business of investing in loans and securities as well as in the normal course of maintaining and improving the Bank's facilities. These financial instruments include significant purchase commitments, such as commitments related to capital expenditure plans and commitments to purchase securities or mortgage-backed securities and commitments to extend credit to meet the financing needs of our customers. At June 30, 2009, we had no significant off-balance sheet commitments to purchase securities or for capital expenditures

Commitments to extend credit are agreements to lend to a customer as long as there is no violation of any condition established in the contract. Commitments generally have fixed expiration dates or other termination clauses and may require payment of a fee. Our exposure to credit loss in the event of nonperformance by the other party to the financial instrument for commitments to extend credit is represented by the contractual notional amount of those instruments. We use the same credit policies in making commitments and conditional obligations as we do for on-balance-sheet instruments. At June 30, 2009, outstanding loan commitments totaled \$67.4 million compared to \$75.7 million at June 30 2008. Since many of the commitments are expected to expire without being drawn upon, the total commitment amounts do not necessarily represent future cash requirements. For additional information regarding our outstanding lending commitments at June 30, 2009, see Note 16 to consolidated financial statements contained in this Annual Report on Form 10-K.

#### Capital

Consistent with its goals to operate a sound and profitable financial organization, the Bank actively seeks to maintain its well capitalized status in accordance with regulatory standards. As of June 30, 2009, the Bank exceeded all capital requirements of the OTS. The Bank's regulatory capital ratios at June 30, 2009 were as follows: core capital 17.8%; Tier I risk-based capital 38.3%; and total risk-based capital 38.8%. The regulatory capital requirements to be considered well capitalized are 5.0%, 6.0% and 10.0%, respectively. For additional information regarding regulatory capital at June 30, 2009, see Note 14 to consolidated financial statements contained in this Annual Report on Form 10-K.

#### **Impact of Inflation**

The financial statements included in this document have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. These principles require the measurement of financial position and operating results in terms of historical dollars, without considering changes in the relative purchasing power of money over time due to inflation.

Our primary assets and liabilities are monetary in nature. As a result, interest rates have a more significant impact on our performance than the effects of general levels of inflation. Interest rates, however, do not necessarily move in the same direction or with the same magnitude as the price of goods and services, since such prices are affected by inflation. In a period of rapidly rising interest rates, the

liquidity and maturities of our assets and liabilities are critical to the maintenance of acceptable performance levels.

The principal effect of inflation on earnings, as distinct from levels of interest rates, is in the area of non-interest expense. Expense items such as employee compensation, employee benefits and occupancy and equipment costs may be subject to increases as a result of inflation. An additional effect of inflation is the possible increase in the dollar value of the collateral securing loans that we have made. We are unable to determine the extent, if any, to which properties securing our loans have appreciated in dollar value due to inflation.

#### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

SFAS No. 141(R) "Business Combinations" was issued in December of 2007. SFAS No. 141(R) establishes principles and requirements for how the acquirer of a business recognizes and measures in its financial statements the identifiable assets acquired, the liabilities assumed, and any non-controlling interest in the acquiree. SFAS No. 141(R) also provides guidance for recognizing and measuring the goodwill acquired in the business combination and determines what information to disclose to enable users of the financial statements to evaluate the nature and financial effects of the business combination. The guidance will become effective as of the beginning of a company's fiscal year beginning after December 15, 2008. This new pronouncement will impact the Company's accounting for business combinations completed after the effective date.

In February 2008, the FASB issued FASB Staff Position ("FSP") Financial Accounting Standard ("FAS") 140-3, "Accounting for Transfers of Financial Assets and Repurchase Financing Transactions". This FSP addresses the issue of whether or not these transactions should be viewed as two separate transactions or as one "linked" transaction. The FSP includes a "rebuttable presumption" that presumes linkage of the two transactions unless the presumption can be overcome by meeting certain criteria. The FSP will be effective for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2008 and will apply only to original transfers made after that date; early adoption will not be allowed. The Company expects that FAS 140-3 will not have an impact on its consolidated financial statements.

In February 2008, the FASB issued FSP FAS 157-2, "Effective Date of FASB Statement No. 157", that permits a one-year deferral in applying the measurement provisions of SFAS No. 157 to non-financial assets and non-financial liabilities (non-financial items) that are not recognized or disclosed at fair value in an entity's financial statements on a recurring basis (at least annually). Therefore, if the change in fair value of a non-financial item is not required to be recognized or disclosed in the financial statements on an annual basis or more frequently, the effective date of application of SFAS No. 157 to that item is deferred until fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2008 and interim periods within those fiscal years. This deferral does not apply, however, to an entity that applied SFAS No. 157 in interim or annual financial statements prior to the issuance of FAS 157-2. The Company expects that FSP FAS 157-2 will not have an impact on its consolidated financial statements.

In March 2008, the FASB issued SFAS No. 161, "Disclosures about Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities—an amendment of FASB Statement No. 133". SFAS No. 161 requires entities that utilize derivative instruments to provide qualitative disclosures about their objectives and strategies for using such instruments, as well as any details of credit-risk-related contingent features contained within derivatives. SFAS No. 161 also requires entities to disclose additional information about the amounts and location of derivatives located within the financial statements, how the provisions of SFAS No. 133 has been applied, and the impact that hedges have on an entity's financial position, financial performance, and cash flows. SFAS No. 161 is effective for fiscal years and interim periods beginning after November 15,

2008, with early application encouraged. The Company expects that SFAS No. 161 will not have an impact on its consolidated financial statements

In April 2008, the FASB issued FSP FAS 142-3, "Determination of the Useful Life of Intangible Assets". This FSP amends the factors that should be considered in developing renewal or extension assumptions used to determine the useful life of a recognized intangible asset under SFAS No. 142, "Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets". The intent of this FSP is to improve the consistency between the useful life of a recognized intangible asset under SFAS No. 142 and the period of expected cash flows used to measure the fair value of the asset under SFAS No. 141(R), and other GAAP. This FSP is effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2008, and interim periods within those fiscal years. Early adoption is prohibited. The implementation of this standard will not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

In June 2008, the FASB issued FSP EITF 03-6-1, "Determining Whether Instruments Granted in Share-Based Payment Transactions Are Participating Securities". This FSP clarifies that all outstanding unvested share-based payment awards that contain rights to non-forfeitable dividends participate in undistributed earnings with common shareholders. Awards of this nature are considered participating securities and the two-class method of computing basic and diluted earnings per share must be applied. This FSP is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2008. The implementation of this standard will not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

In September 2008, the FASB issued FSP FAS 133-1 and FASB Interpretation ("FIN") 45-4, "Disclosures about Credit Derivatives and Certain Guarantees: An Amendment of FASB Statement No. 133 and FASB Interpretation No. 45; and Clarification of the Effective Date of FASB Statement No. 161" (FSP FAS 133-1 and FIN 45-4). FSP FAS 133-1 and FIN 45-4 amends and enhances disclosure requirements for sellers of credit derivatives and financial guarantees. It also clarifies that the disclosure requirements of SFAS No. 161 are effective for quarterly periods beginning after November 15, 2008, and fiscal years that include those periods. FSP 133-1 and FIN 45-4 is effective for reporting periods (annual or interim) ending after November 15, 2008. The implementation of this standard did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

In October 2008, the FASB issued FSP FAS 157-3, "Determining the Fair Value of a Financial Asset When the Market for That Asset Is Not Active". FSP FAS 157-3 clarifies the application of SFAS No. 157, "Fair Value Measurements", in a market that is not active and provides an example to illustrate key considerations in determining the fair value of a financial asset when the market for that financial asset is not active. FSP 157-3 was effective upon issuance. Adoption of FSP FAS 157-3 did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements

In December 2008, the FASB issued FSP FAS 140-4 and FIN 46(R)-8, "Disclosures by Public Entities (Enterprises) about Transfers of Financial Assets and Interests in Variable Interest Entities". FSP FAS 140-4 and FIN 46(R)-8 amends FASB SFAS 140 "Accounting for Transfers and Servicing of Financial Assets and Extinguishments of Liabilities", to require public entities to provide additional disclosures about transfers of financial assets. It also amends FIN 46(R), "Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities", to require public enterprises, including sponsors that have a variable interest entity, to provide additional disclosures about their involvement with variable interest entities. Additionally, this FSP requires certain disclosures to be provided by a public enterprise that is (a) a sponsor of a qualifying special purpose entity (SPE) that holds a variable interest in the qualifying SPE but was not the transferor of financial assets to the qualifying SPE and (b) a servicer of a qualifying SPE that holds a significant variable interest in the qualifying SPE but was not the transferor of financial assets to the qualifying SPE. The disclosures required by FSP FAS 140-4 and FIN 46(R)-8 are intended

to provide greater transparency to financial statement users about a transferor's continuing involvement with transferred financial assets and an enterprise's involvement with variable interest entities and qualifying SPEs. FSP FAS 140-4 and FIN 46(R) is effective for reporting periods (annual or interim) ending after December 15, 2008. The implementation of this standard did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

In January 2009, the FASB issued FSP EITF 99-20-1, "Amendments to the Impairment Guidance of EITF Issue No. 99-20". FSP EITF 99-20-1 amends the impairment guidance in EITF Issue No. 99-20, "Recognition of Interest Income and Impairment on Purchased Beneficial Interests and Beneficial Interests That Continue to Be Held by a Transferor in Securitized Financial Assets", to achieve more consistent determination of whether an other-than-temporary impairment has occurred. FSP EITF 99-20-1 also retains and emphasizes the objective of an other-than-temporary impairment assessment and the related disclosure requirements in SFAS No. 115, "Accounting for Certain Investments in Debt and Equity Securities", and other related guidance. FSP EITF 99-20-1 is effective for interim and annual reporting periods ending after December 15, 2008, and shall be applied prospectively. Retrospective application to a prior interim or annual reporting period is not permitted. The implementation of this standard did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

In April 2009, the FASB issued FSP FAS 157-4, "Determining Fair Value When the Volume and Level of Activity for the Asset or Liability Have Significantly Decreased and Identifying Transactions That Are Not Orderly". FASB SFAS No. 157, "Fair Value Measurements", defines fair value as the price that would be received to sell the asset or transfer the liability in an orderly transaction (that is, not a forced liquidation or distressed sale) between market participants at the measurement date under current market conditions. FSP FAS 157-4 provides additional guidance on determining when the volume and level of activity for the asset or liability has significantly decreased. The FSP also includes guidance on identifying circumstances when a transaction may not be considered orderly.

FSP FAS 157-4 provides a list of factors that a reporting entity should evaluate to determine whether there has been a significant decrease in the volume and level of activity for the asset or liability. When the reporting entity concludes there has been a significant decrease in the volume and level of activity for the asset or liability, further analysis of the information from that market is needed and significant adjustments to the related prices may be necessary to estimate fair value in accordance with SFAS No. 157.

This FSP clarifies that when there has been a significant decrease in the volume and level of activity for the asset or liability, some transactions may not be orderly. In those situations, the entity must evaluate the weight of the evidence to determine whether the transaction is orderly. The FSP provides a list of circumstances that may indicate that a transaction is not orderly. A transaction price that is not associated with an orderly transaction is given little, if any, weight when estimating fair value.

This FSP is effective for interim and annual reporting periods ending after June 15, 2009. Adoption of FSP FAS 157-4 did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In April 2009, the FASB issued FSP FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2, "Recognition and Presentation of Other-Than-Temporary Impairments". FSP FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2 clarifies the interaction of the factors that should be considered when determining whether a debt security is other-than-temporarily impaired. For debt securities, management must assess whether (a) it has the intent to sell the security and (b) it is more likely than not that it will be required to sell the security prior to its anticipated recovery. These steps are done before assessing whether the entity will recover the cost basis of the investment.

Previously, this assessment required management to assert it has both the intent and the ability to hold a security for a period of time sufficient to allow for an anticipated recovery in fair value to avoid recognizing an other-than-temporary impairment. This change does not affect the need to forecast recovery of the value of the security through either cash flows or market price.

In instances when a determination is made that an other-than-temporary impairment exists but the investor does not intend to sell the debt security and it is not more likely than not that it will be required to sell the debt security prior to its anticipated recovery, FSP FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2 changes the presentation and amount of the other-than-temporary impairment recognized in the income statement. The other-than-temporary impairment is separated into (a) the amount of the total other-than-temporary impairment related to a decrease in cash flows expected to be collected from the debt security (the credit loss) and (b) the amount of the total other-than-temporary impairment related to all other factors. The amount of the total other-than-temporary impairment related to the credit loss is recognized in earnings. The amount of the total other-than-temporary impairment related to all other factors is recognized in other comprehensive income.

This FSP is effective for interim and annual reporting periods ending after June 15, 2009. The adoption of FSP FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2 did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In April 2009, the FASB issued FSP FAS 107-1 and Accounting Principles Board ("APB") 28-1, "Interim Disclosures about Fair Value of Financial Instruments" (FSP FAS 107-1 and APB 28-1). FSP FAS 107-1 and APB 28-1 amend FASB Statement No. 107, "Disclosures about Fair Value of Financial Instruments", to require disclosures about fair value of financial instruments for interim reporting periods of publicly traded companies as well as in annual financial statements. This FSP also amends APB Opinion No. 28, "Interim Financial Reporting", to require those disclosures in summarized financial information at interim reporting periods.

This FSP is effective for interim and annual reporting periods ending after June 15, 2009. The adoption of FSP FAS 107-1 and APB 28-1 did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In June 2009, the FASB issued SFAS No. 166, "Accounting for Transfers of Financial Assets, an Amendment of FASB Statement No. 140". This statement prescribes the information that a reporting entity must provide in its financial reports about a transfer of financial assets; the effects of a transfer on its financial position, financial performance and cash flows; and a transferor's continuing involvement in transferred financial assets. Specifically, among other aspects, SFAS No. 166 amends SFAS No. 140, "Accounting for Transfers and Servicing of Financial Assets and Extinguishments of Liabilities" by removing the concept of a qualifying special-purpose entity from SFAS No. 140 and removes the exception from applying FIN 46(R) to variable interest entities that are qualifying special-purpose entities. It also modifies the financial-components approach used in SFAS No. 140. SFAS No. 166 is effective for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2009. The Company is currently evaluating the potential impact the new pronouncement will have on its consolidated financial statements.

In June 2009, the FASB issued SFAS No. 167, "Amendments to FASB Interpretation No. 46(R)". This statement amends FIN. 46, "Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities (revised December 2003) — an interpretation of ARB No. 51", to require an enterprise to determine whether its variable interest or interests give it a controlling financial interest in a variable interest entity. The primary beneficiary of a variable interest entity is the enterprise that has both (1) the power to direct the activities of a variable interest entity that most significantly impact the entity's economic performance and (2) the obligation to absorb losses of the entity that could potentially be significant to the variable interest entity or the right to

receive benefits from the entity that could potentially be significant to the variable interest entity. SFAS No. 167 also amends FIN 46(R) to require ongoing reassessments of whether an enterprise is the primary beneficiary of a variable interest entity. SFAS No. 167 is effective for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2009. The Company is currently evaluating the potential impact the new pronouncement will have on its consolidated financial statements.

In June 2009, the FASB issued SFAS No. 168, "The FASB Accounting Standards Codification and the Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles, a replacement of FASB Statement No. 162". SFAS No. 168 replaces SFAS No. 162, "The Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles" to establish the "FASB Accounting Standards Codification" as the source of authoritative accounting principles recognized by the FASB to be applied by nongovernmental entities in preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States. SFAS No. 168 is effective for interim and annual periods ending after September 15, 2009. The Company expects that SFAS No. 168 will not have an impact on its consolidated financial statements.

#### Item 7A. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

#### Management of Interest Rate Risk and Market Risk

Qualitative Analysis. The majority of our assets and liabilities are sensitive to changes in interest rates. Consequently, interest rate risk is a significant form of business risk that must be managed by the Company. Interest rate risk is generally defined in regulatory nomenclature as the risk to the Company's earnings or capital arising from the movement of interest rates. It arises from several risk factors including: the differences between the timing of rate changes and the timing of cash flows (re-pricing risk); the changing rate relationships among different yield curves that affect bank activities (basis risk); the changing rate relationships across the spectrum of maturities (yield curve risk); and the interest-rate-related options embedded in bank products (option risk).

Regarding the risk to the Company's earnings, movements in interest rates significantly influence the amount of net interest income recognized by the Company. Net interest income is the difference between:

- the interest income recorded on our earning assets, such as loans, securities and other interest-earning assets; and,
- the interest expense recorded on our costing liabilities, such as interest-bearing deposits and borrowings.

Net interest income is, by far, the Company's largest revenue source to which the Company adds its noninterest income and from which it deducts its noninterest expense and income taxes to calculate net income. Movements in market interest rates, and the effect of such movements on the risk factors noted above, significantly influence the "spread" between the interest earned by the Company on its loans, securities and other interest-earning assets and the interest paid on its deposits and borrowings. Movements in interest rates that increase, or "widen", that net interest spread enhance the Company's net income. Conversely, movements in interest rates that reduce, or "tighten", that net interest spread adversely impact the Company's net income.

For any given movement in interest rates, the resulting degree of movement in an institution's yield on interest earning assets compared with that of its cost of interest-bearing liabilities determines if an institution is deemed "asset sensitive" or "liability sensitive". An asset sensitive institution is

one whose yield on interest-earning assets reacts more quickly to movements in interest rates than its cost of

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interest-bearing liabilities. In general, the earnings of asset sensitive institutions are enhanced by upward movements in interest rates through which the yield on its earning assets increases faster than its cost of interest-bearing liabilities resulting in a widening of its net interest spread. Conversely, the earnings of asset sensitive institutions are adversely impacted by downward movements in interest rates through which the yield on its earning assets decreases faster than its cost of interest-bearing liabilities resulting in a tightening of its net interest spread.

In contrast, a liability sensitive institution is one whose cost of interest-bearing liabilities reacts more quickly to movements in interest rates than its yield on interest-earning assets. In general, the earnings of liability sensitive institutions are enhanced by downward movements in interest rates through which the cost of interest-bearing liabilities decreases faster than its yield on its earning assets resulting in a widening of its net interest spread. Conversely, the earnings of liability sensitive institutions are adversely impacted by upward movements in interest rates through which the cost of interest-bearing liabilities increases faster than its yield on its earning assets resulting in a tightening of its net interest spread.

The degree of an institution's asset or liability sensitivity is traditionally represented by its "gap position". In general, gap is a measurement that describes the net mismatch between the balance of an institution's earning assets that are maturing and/or re-pricing over a selected period of time compared to that of its costing liabilities. Positive gaps represent the greater dollar amount of earning assets maturing or re-pricing over the selected period of time than costing liabilities. Conversely, negative gaps represent the greater dollar amount of costing liabilities maturing or re-pricing over the selected period of time than earning assets. The degree to which an institution is asset or liability sensitive is reported as a negative or positive percentage of assets, respectively. The industry commonly focuses on cumulative one-year and three-year gap percentages as fundamental indicators of interest rate risk sensitivity.

Based upon the findings of the Company's internal interest rate risk analysis, which are corroborated by the independent analysis performed by its primary regulator as described below, the Company is considered to be liability sensitive. Liability sensitivity characterizes the balance sheets of many thrift institutions and is generally attributable to the comparatively shorter contractual maturity and/or re-pricing characteristics of the institution's deposits and borrowings versus those of its loans and investment securities.

With respect to the maturity and re-pricing of its interest-bearing liabilities, at June 30, 2009, \$740.4 million or 81.8% of our certificates of deposit mature within one year with an additional \$111.1 million or 12.3% maturing in greater than one year but less than or equal to two years. Based on current market interest rates, the majority of these certificates are projected to re-price downward to the extent they remain with the Bank at maturity. Of the \$210.0 million of FHLB borrowings at June 30, 2009, all have fixed interest rates with \$200.0 million maturing during fiscal 2018, but callable on a quarterly basis prior to maturity. Given current market interest rates, the call options are not currently expected to be exercised by the FHLB. The remaining \$10.0 million of FHLB borrowings are non-callable and mature during fiscal 2011.

With respect to the maturity and re-pricing of the Company's interest-earning assets, at June 30, 2009, \$20.9 million, or 2.0% of our total loans will reach their contractual maturity dates within one year with the remaining \$1.02 billion, or 98.0% of total loans having remaining terms to contractual maturity in excess of one year. Of loans maturing after one year, \$902.5 million or 88.1% had fixed rates of interest while the remaining \$121.4 million or 11.9% had adjustable rates of interest.

Regarding investment securities, at June 30, 2009, only \$360,000 of our securities will reach their contractual maturity dates within one year with the remaining \$715.8 million, or virtually 100% of total

securities, having remaining terms to contractual maturity in excess of one year. Of the latter category, \$311.5 million comprising 43.5% of our total securities had fixed rates of interest while the remaining \$404.3 million comprising 56.5% of our total securities had adjustable or floating rates of interest.

At June 30, 2009, mortgage-related assets, including mortgage loans and mortgage-backed securities, total \$1.73 billion and comprise 88.1% of total earning assets. In addition to remaining term to maturity and interest rate type as discussed above, other factors contribute significantly to the level of interest rate risk associated with mortgage-related assets. In particular, the scheduled amortization of principal and the borrower's option to prepay any or all of a mortgage loan's principal balance, where applicable, has a significant effect on the average lives of such assets and, therefore, the interest rate risk associated with them. In general, the prepayment rate on lower yielding assets tends to slow as interest rates rise due to the reduced financial incentive for borrowers to refinance their loans. By contrast, the prepayment rate of higher yielding assets tends to accelerate as interest rates decline due to the increased financial incentive for borrowers to prepay or refinance their loans to comparatively lower interest rates. These characteristics tend to diminish the benefits of falling interest rates to liability sensitive institutions while exacerbating the adverse impact of rising interest rates.

While the Company retained its liability sensitivity during fiscal 2009, the degree of that sensitivity, as measured internally by the institution's one-year and three-year gap percentages, has declined during fiscal 2009. Specifically, the Company's cumulative one-year gap percentage improved from -9.47% at June 30, 2008 to -5.17% at June 30, 2009. Moreover, the Company's cumulative three-year gap percentage changed from -0.63% to 3.47% over those same comparative periods.

As a liability sensitive institution, the Company's net interest spread is generally expected to benefit from overall reductions in market interest rates. Conversely, its net interest spread is generally expected to be adversely impacted by overall increases in market interest rates. However, the general effects of movements in market interest rates can be diminished or exacerbated by "nonparallel" movements in interest rates across a yield curve. Nonparallel movements in interest rates generally occur when shorter term and longer term interest rates move disproportionately in a directionally consistent manner. For example, shorter term interest rates may also occur when shorter term and longer term interest rates move in a directionally inconsistent manner. For example, shorter term interest rates may rise while longer term interest rates remain steady or decline which would generally result in a "flatter" yield curve.

At its extreme, a yield curve may become "inverted" for a period of time during which shorter term interest rates exceed longer term interest rates. While inverted yield curves do occasionally occur, they are generally considered a "temporary" phenomenon portending a change in economic conditions that will restore the yield curve to its normal, positively sloped shape.

In general, the interest rates paid on the Company's deposits tend to be determined based upon the level of shorter term interest rates. By contrast, the interest rates earned on the Company's loans and investment securities tend to be based upon the level of longer term interest rates. As such, the overall "spread" between shorter term and longer interest rates when earning assets and costing liabilities re-price greatly influences the Company's overall net interest spread over time. In general, a wider spread between shorter term and longer term interest rates, implying a "steeper" yield curve, is beneficial to the Company's net interest spread. By contrast, a narrower spread between shorter term and longer term interest rates, implying a "flatter" yield curve, or a negative spread between those measures, implying an inverted yield curve, adversely impacts the Company's net interest spread.

The effects of interest rate risk on the Company's earnings are best demonstrated through a review of changes in market interest rates over the past several years and their impact on the Company's net interest spread. Following a period of historically low interest rates, the Federal Reserve Board of Governors steadily increased its target federal funds rate by 425 basis points from 1.00% in June, 2004 to 5.25% in June, 2007. During that three-year period, federal funds rate and other shorter term market interest rates increased by a far greater degree than longer term market interest rates. For example, the market yield on the one-year U.S. Treasury increased 282 basis points from 2.07% at June 30, 2004 to 4.91% at June 30, 2007. By comparison, the market yield on the 10-year U.S. Treasury increased by only 41 basis points from 4.62% to 5.03% over those same time periods. The flattening yield curve during that three year period had an adverse impact on the Company's net interest spread which decreased 67 basis points from 2.37% for the year ended June 30, 2004 to 1.70% for the year ended June 30, 2007.

The upward trend in shorter term interest rates was reversed in September, 2007 as the Federal Reserve began to lower the target rate for federal funds in reaction to the threat of a looming recession triggered by growing volatility and instability in the housing and credit markets. The effects of those isolated crises rapidly grew to threaten the viability of the domestic and international financial markets as a whole. In reaction to that larger threat, the Federal Reserve reduced the target federal funds rate by a total of over 500 basis points from 5.25% at June, 2007 to a range between 0.00% and 0.25% which remains in effect at June 30, 2009. During that two-year period, federal funds rate and other shorter term market interest rates decreased by a far greater degree than longer term market interest rates. For example, the market yield on the one-year U.S. Treasury decreased 435 basis points from 4.01% at June 30, 2007 to 0.56% at June 30, 2009. By comparison, the market yield on the 10-year U.S. Treasury decreased by only 150 basis points from 5.03% to 3.53% over those same time periods. The steepening yield curve during that two year period had a beneficial impact on the Company's net interest spread which increased 55 basis points from 1.70% for the year ended June 30, 2009 to 2.25% for the year ended June 30, 2009.

The Board of Directors has established an Interest Rate Risk Management Committee, currently comprised of Directors Hopkins, Regan, Aanensen, Mazza and Parow, which is responsible for monitoring the Company's interest rate risk. Our Chief Financial Officer and Chief Investment Officer also participate as management's liaison to the committee. The committee meets quarterly to address management of our assets and liabilities, including review of our short term liquidity position; loan and deposit pricing and production volumes and alternative funding sources; current investments; average lives, durations and re-pricing frequencies of loans and securities; and a variety of other asset and liability management topics. The results of the committee's quarterly review are reported to the full Board, which adjusts the investment policy and strategies, as it considers necessary and appropriate.

Quantitative Analysis. Management utilizes a combination of internal and external analyses to quantitatively model, measure and monitor the Company's exposure to interest rate risk. The external quantitative analysis is based upon the OTS interest rate risk model which utilizes data submitted on the Bank's quarterly Thrift Financial Reports. The model estimates the change in the Bank's net portfolio value ("NPV") ratio throughout a series of interest rate scenarios. NPV, sometimes referred to as the economic value of equity, represents the present value of the expected cash flows from the Bank's assets less the present value of the expected cash flows arising from its liabilities adjusted for the value of off-balance sheet contracts. The NPV ratio represents the dollar amount of the Bank's NPV divided by the present value of its total assets for a given interest rate scenario. In essence, NPV attempts to quantify the economic value of the Bank using a discounted cash flow methodology while the NPV ratio reflects that value as a form of capital ratio. The degree to which the NPV ratio changes for any hypothetical interest rate scenario from its "base case" measurement is a reflection of an institution's sensitivity to interest rate risk.

The internal quantitative analysis utilized by management measures interest rate risk from both a capital and earnings perspective. Like the OTS model noted above, the Bank's internal interest rate risk analysis calculates sensitivity of the Bank's NPV ratio to movements in interest rates. Both the OTS and internal models measure the Bank's NPV ratio in a "base case" scenario that assumes no change in interest rates as of the measurement date. Both models measure the change in the NPV ratio throughout a series of interest rate scenarios representing immediate and permanent, parallel shifts in the yield curve up and down 100, 200 and 300 basis points. Both models generally require that interest rates remain positive for all points along the yield curve for each rate scenario which may preclude the modeling of certain "down rate" scenarios during periods of lower market interest rates. The Bank's interest rate risk management policy establishes acceptable floors for the NPV ratio and caps for the maximum change in the NPV ratio throughout the scenarios modeled.

As illustrated in the tables below, the Bank's NPV would be negatively impacted by an increase in interest rates. This result is expected given the Bank's liability sensitivity noted earlier. Specifically, based upon the comparatively shorter maturity and/or re-pricing characteristics of its interest-bearing liabilities compared with that of the Bank's interest-earning assets, an upward movement in interest rates would have a disproportionately adverse impact on the present value of the Bank's assets compared to the beneficial impact arising from the reduced present value of its liabilities. Hence, the Bank's NPV and NPV ratio decline in the increasing interest rate scenarios. Historically low interest rates at June 30, 2009 preclude the modeling of certain scenarios as parallel downward shifts in the yield curve of 100 basis points or more would result in negative interest rates for many points along that curve.

The following tables present the results of the external OTS NPV analysis as of June 30, 2009 and June 30, 2008, respectively.

	At June 30, 2009							
			Net Portfolio Value					
	Net Portfolio V	alue	as % of Present Value of Assets					
				Net Portfolio	Basis Point			
Changes in Rates (1)	\$ Amount	\$ Change	% Change	Value Ratio	Change			
	(In Thousands)							
+300 bps	303,185	-92,395	-23%	15.39%	-350 bps			
+200 bps	340,570	-55,010	-14%	16.90%	-200 bps			
+100 bps	372,549	-23,031	-6%	18.11%	-79 bps			
0 bps	395,580	-	-	18.90%	-			
-100 bps	406,049	10,469	+3%	19.17%	+27 bps			

At June	30,	2008
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	Net Portfolio V	<sup>7</sup> alue	Net Portfolio Value as % of Present Value of Assets			
Changes in Rates (1)	\$ Amount	\$ Change	% Change	Net Portfolio Value Ratio	Basis Point Change	
+300 bps	(In Thousands) 265,006	-111,329	-30%	14.07%	-456 bps	
+200 bps	305,498	-70,838	-30% -19%	15.82%	-430 bps	
+100 bps	343,129	-33,207	-9%	17.36%	-127 bps	
0 bps -100 bps	376,336 398,540	22,205	- +6%	18.63% 19.39%	- +76 bps	

The -200 bps and -300 bps scenarios are not shown due to the low prevailing interest rate environment.

A comparative industry benchmark regarding interest r change in an institution's NPV ratio, measured in basis	3	"which is generally defined by bank regulators as the
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points, in an immediate and permanent, adverse parallel shift in interest rates of plus or minus 200 basis points. Based upon the tables above, the Bank's sensitivity measure improved by 81 basis points from -281 basis points at June 30, 2008 to -200 basis points at June 30, 2009 which indicates an aggregate reduction in the Bank's sensitivity to movements in interest rates from period to period.

There are numerous internal and external factors that may contribute to changes in an institution's sensitivity measure. Internally, changes in the composition and allocation of an institution's balance sheet and the interest rate risk characteristics of its components can significantly alter the exposure to interest rate risk as quantified by the changes in the sensitivity measure. However, changes to certain external factors, most notably changes in the level of market interest rates and overall shape of the yield curve, can significantly alter the projected cash flows of the institutions interest-earning assets and interest-costing liabilities and the associated present values thereof. Changes in internal and external factors from period to period can complement one another's effects to reduce overall sensitivity, partly or wholly offset one another's effects, or exacerbate one another's adverse effects and thereby increase the institution's exposure to interest rate risk as quantified by the sensitivity measure.

While several internal and external factors working in concert contributed to the reported change in the Bank's sensitivity measure, the Bank primarily attributes the net improvement in that measure from year to year to the comparative increase in its balance of short term, liquid assets. Specifically, the Company's cash and cash equivalents increased \$79.8 million from \$131.7 million or 6.3% of total assets at June 30, 2008 to \$211.5 million or 10.0% of total assets at June 30, 2009. The growth in short term liquid assets, which are re-priced on a day-to-day basis to reflect current market interest rates, was primarily funded through a net reduction in the outstanding balance of investment securities and net growth in deposits partially offset by a net increase in loans receivable. Taken together, this change in balances sheet allocation reduced the aggregate longevity of the Bank's interest-earning assets in relation to its interest-bearing liabilities and, thereby, reduced the sensitivity to interest rate risk as quantified by the Bank's sensitivity measure.

Because the Bank's sensitivity measure and NPV ratio in the +200 bps scenario exceeded the thresholds established by its primary regulator, the Bank's "TB 13a Level of Risk" was rated as "Minimal" based upon the results of the OTS interest rate risk model as of June 30, 2009 and June 30, 2008. TB-13a is the OTS's primary regulatory guidance concerning the management of interest rate risk.

The results of the Bank's internal "NPV-based" analysis are generally consistent with those of the external analysis prepared by OTS as presented in summary form above. As noted earlier, the Bank's internal interest rate risk analysis also includes an "earnings-based" component. A quantitative, earnings-based approach to measuring interest rate risk is strongly encouraged by bank regulators as a complement to the "NPV-based" methodology. Notwithstanding, there is currently no external "earnings-based" interest rate risk analysis prepared by OTS for the institutions within its oversight. As such, institutions must utilize internal models and analysis to gauge the sensitivity of their earnings to movements in interest rates. Regarding such internal modeling, however, there are no commonly accepted "industry best practices" that specify the manner in which "earnings-based" interest rate risk analysis should be performed with regard to certain key modeling variables. Such variables include, but are not limited to, those relating to rate scenarios (e.g., immediate and permanent rate "shocks" versus gradual rate change "ramps", "parallel" versus "nonparallel" yield curve changes), measurement periods (e.g., one year versus two year, cumulative versus noncumulative), measurement criteria (e.g., net interest income versus net income) and balance sheet composition and allocation ("static" balance sheet, reflecting reinvestment of cash flows into like instruments, versus "dynamic" balance sheet, reflecting internal budget and planning assumptions).

The Company is aware that the absence of an industry-standard, external analysis to measure interest rate risk from an earnings perspective or, at a minimum, a commonly shared set of analysis criteria and assumptions on which to base an internal analysis, could result in inconsistent or misinterpreted disclosure concerning an institution's level of interest rate risk. Consequently, the Company limits the presentation of its earnings-based interest rate risk analysis to the internally modeled scenarios presented in the table below. Consistent with the NPV analysis above, such scenarios utilize immediate and permanent rate "shocks" that result in parallel shifts in the yield curve. For each scenario, projected net interest income is measured over a one year period utilizing a static balance sheet assumption through which incoming and outgoing asset and liability cash flows are reinvested into the same instruments. Product pricing and earning asset prepayment speeds are appropriately adjusted for each rate scenario.

As illustrated in the table below, the Bank's net interest income would be negatively impacted by an increase in interest rates. Like the NPV results presented earlier, this result is expected given the Bank's liability sensitivity noted earlier.

At June 30, 2009  Rate Change <u>Type</u>	Yield Curve <u>Shift</u>	Balance Sheet Composition & Allocation	Changes in Rates	Measurement <u>Period</u>	Inc	t Interest come Thousands)	Change in Net Interest <u>Income</u>	Change in Net Intere <u>Income</u>	
Base case									
(No change) Immediate and	-	Static	0 bps	One Year	\$	55,610	\$-	-	%
permanent Immediate and	Parallel	Static	+100 bps	One Year		54,642	-968	-1.74	
permanent	Parallel	Static	+200 bps	One Year		52,932	-2,678	-4.82	

Notwithstanding the rate change scenarios presented in the NPV and earnings-based analyses above, future interest rates and their effect on net portfolio value or net interest income are not predictable. Computations of prospective effects of hypothetical interest rate changes are based on numerous assumptions, including relative levels of market interest rates, prepayments and deposit run-offs and should not be relied upon as indicative of actual results. Certain shortcomings are inherent in this type of computation. Although certain assets and liabilities may have similar maturity or periods of re-pricing, they may react at different times and in different degrees to changes in market interest rates. The interest rate on certain types of assets and liabilities, such as demand deposits and savings accounts, may fluctuate in advance of changes in market interest rates, while rates on other types of assets and liabilities may lag behind changes in market interest rates. Certain assets, such as adjustable-rate mortgages, generally have features which restrict changes in interest rates on a short-term basis and over the life of the asset. In the event of a change in interest rates, prepayments and early withdrawal levels could deviate significantly from those assumed in making calculations set forth above. Additionally, an increased credit risk may result as the ability of many borrowers to service their debt may decrease in the event of an interest rate increase.

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## **Item 8. Financial Statements and Supplementary Data**

by reference.

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The Company's financial statements are contained in this Annual Report on Form 10-K immediately following Item 15.
Item 9. Changes In and Disagreements With Accountants on Accounting and Financial Disclosure
Not applicable.
Item 9A. Controls and Procedures
(a) Disclosure Controls and Procedures
Based on their evaluation of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act")), the Company's principal executive officer and principal financial officer have concluded that as of the end of the period covered by this Annual Report on Form 10-K such disclosure controls and procedures are effective to ensure that information required to be disclosed by the Company in reports that it files or submits under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in Securities and Exchange Commission rules and forms and is accumulated and communicated to the Company's management, including the principal executive and principal financial officer, as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosures.
(b) Internal Control over Financial Reporting
1. Management's Annual Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting.
Management's report on the Company's internal control over financial reporting appears in the Company's consolidated financial statements that are contained in this Annual Report on Form 10-K immediately following Item 15. Such report is incorporated herein by reference.
2. Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm.

The report of Beard Miller Company LLP on the Company's internal control over financial reporting appears in the Company's consolidated financial statements that are contained in this Annual Report on Form 10-K immediately following Item 15. Such report is incorporated herein

Changes in Internal Control Over Financial Reporting.

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During the last quarter of the year under report, there was no change in the Company's internal control over financial reporting that has materially

affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's internal control over financial reporting.

Item 9B. Other Information		
None.		
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#### PART III

### Item 10. Directors, Executive Officers and Corporate Governance

The information that appears under the headings "Section 16(a) Beneficial Ownership Reporting Compliance", "Information Regarding Directors and Executive Officers" and "Operation of the Board of Directors" in the Registrant's definitive proxy statement for the Registrant's 2009 Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission within 120 days of the Registrant's fiscal year end (the "Proxy Statement") is incorporated herein by reference.

The Company has adopted a code of ethics that applies to its principal executive officer, principal financial officer and principal accounting officer. A copy of the code of ethics is available without charge upon request to the Corporate Secretary, Kearny Financial Corp., 120 Passaic Avenue, Fairfield, New Jersey 07004.

### **Item 11. Executive Compensation**

The information that appears under the headings "Board of Directors and Executive Officer Compensation" and "Compensation Discussion and Analysis" in the Proxy Statement is incorporated herein by reference.

#### Item 12. Security Ownership of Certain Beneficial Owners and Management and Related Stockholder Matters

- (a) Security Ownership of Certain Beneficial Owners. Information required by this item is incorporated herein by reference to the section captioned "Voting Securities and Principal Holders Thereof" in the Proxy Statement.
- **Security Ownership of Management.** Information required by this item is incorporated herein by reference to the section captioned "Information Regarding Directors and Executive Officers" in the Proxy Statement.
- (c) Changes in Control. Management of the Company knows of no arrangements, including any pledge by any person of securities of the Company, the operation of which may at a subsequent date result in a change in control of the registrant.

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(d) Securities Authorized for Issuance Under Equity Compensation Plans. Set forth below is information as of June 30, 2009 with respect to compensation plans under which equity securities of the Registrant are authorized for issuance.

### **Equity Compensation Plan Information**

Equity compensation plans	(A)  Number of Securities to be Issued Upon Exercise of Outstanding Options, Warrants and Rights	Weighted-average Exercise Price of Outstanding Options, Warrants and Rights		(C) Number of Securities Remaining Available for Future Issuance Under Equity Compensation Plans (Excluding Securities Reflected in Column (A))		
<ul><li>approved by shareholders:</li><li>2005 Stock Compensation</li></ul>						
and Incentive Plan <sup>(1)</sup> <b>Equity compensation plans not</b>	3,225,740	\$	12.33	475,856		
<b>approved by stockholders:</b> None.	N/A		N/A	N/A		
Total	3,225,740	\$	12.33	475,856		

In addition to 3,225,740 options outstanding under this plan as of June 30, 2009, restricted stock awards of 501,078 shares were non-vested under this plan as of June 30, 2009. Such awards are earned at the rate of 20% one year after the date of the grant and 20% annually thereafter. As of June 30, 2009, there were 155,959 shares remaining available for restricted share awards under this plan and these shares are included under column (C) as securities remaining available for future issuance under this plan along with 319,897 options remaining available for award.

#### Item 13. Certain Relationships and Related Transactions and Director Independence

The information that appears under the subheading "Certain Relationships and Related Transactions" under the heading "Information Regarding Directors and Executive Officers" in the Proxy Statement is incorporated herein by reference.

#### **Item 14. Principal Accounting Fees and Services**

The information relating to this item is incorporated herein by reference to the information contained under the section captioned "Information Regarding Independent Auditor" in the Proxy Statement.

#### PART IV

### **Item 15. Exhibits, Financial Statement Schedules**

(1) The following financial statements and the independent auditors' report appear in this Annual Report on Form 10-K immediately after this Item 15:

Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition as of

June 30, 2009 and 2008 Consolidated Statements of Income For the Years Ended

June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007 Consolidated Statements of Changes in Stockholders' Equity

for the Years Ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007 Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows for the Years Ended

June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007 Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

- (2) All schedules are omitted because they are not required or applicable, or the required information is shown in the consolidated financial statements or the notes thereto.
  - (3) The following exhibits are filed as part of this report:
    - 3.1 Charter of Kearny Financial Corp.\*
    - 3.2 Bylaws of Kearny Financial Corp. \*\*
    - 4 Stock Certificate of Kearny Financial Corp\*
    - 10.1 Employment Agreement between Kearny Federal Savings Bank and John N. Hopkins\*\*†
    - 10.2 Employment Agreement between Kearny Federal Savings Bank and Albert E. Gossweiler\*\*†
    - 10.3 Employment Agreement between Kearny Federal Savings Bank and Sharon Jones\*\*†
    - 10.4 Employment Agreement between Kearny Federal Savings Bank and William C. Ledgerwood\*\*†
    - 10.5 Employment Agreement between Kearny Federal Savings Bank and Erika K. Parisi\*\*†
    - 10.6 Employment Agreement between Kearny Federal Savings Bank and Patrick M. Joyce\*\*†
    - 10.7 Employment Agreement between Kearny Federal Savings Bank and Craig Montanaro\*\*†
    - 10.8 Employment Agreement between Kearny Financial Corp. and John N. Hopkins\*\*\*†
    - 10.9 Directors Consultation and Retirement Plan\*†
    - 10.10 Benefit Equalization Plan\*†
    - 10.11 Benefit Equalization Plan for Employee Stock Ownership Plan\*†
    - 10.12 Kearny Financial Corp. 2005 Stock Compensation and Incentive Plan \*\*\*\*†

10.13	Kearny Federal Savings Bank Director Life Insurance Agreement*****
10.14	Kearny Federal Savings Bank Executive Life Insurance Agreement*****†
10.15	Kearny Financial Corp. Directors Incentive Compensation Plan******
11	Statement regarding computation of earnings per share

- 21 Subsidiaries of the Registrant
- 23 Consent of Beard Miller Company LLP
- 31 Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certifications
- 32 Section 1350 Certification

- \*\* Incorporated by reference to the identically numbered exhibit to the Registrant's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2008 (File No. 000-51093)
- \*\*\* Incorporated by reference to the exhibit to the Registrant's Form 8-K filed on June 19, 2008. (File No. 000-51093).
- \*\*\*\* Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-8 (File No. 333-130204)
- \*\*\*\*\* Incorporated by reference to the exhibits to the Registrant's Form 8-K filed on August 18, 2005. (File No. 000-51093).
- \*\*\*\*\*\* Incorporated by reference to the exhibit to the Registrant's Form 8-K filed on December 9, 2005. (File No. 000-51093).

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<sup>†</sup> Management contract or compensatory plan or arrangement required to be filed as an exhibit.

<sup>\*</sup> Incorporated by reference to the exhibits to the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-118815).

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September 10, 2009
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Management Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting
The management of Kearny Financial Corp. and Subsidiaries (collectively the "Company") is responsible for establishing and maintaining adequate internal control over financial reporting. The Company's internal control system is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance to the management and board of directors regarding the preparation and fair presentation of published consolidated financial statements.
The Company's internal control over financial reporting includes policies and procedures that pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect transactions and dispositions of assets; provide reasonable assurances that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of consolidated financial statements in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles and that receipts and expenditures are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and the directors of the

The Company's management assessed the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting as of June 30, 2009. In making this assessment, management used the criteria set forth by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission in Internal Control-Integrated Framework. Based on its assessment, management believes that, as of June 30, 2009, the Company's internal control over financial reporting is effective based on those criteria.

Company; and provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use or disposition of the

All internal control systems, no matter how well designed, have inherent limitations. Therefore, even those systems determined to be effective can provide only reasonable assurance with respect to consolidated financial statement preparation and presentation. Also, projections of any evaluation of effectiveness to future periods are subject to the risk that controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that

Company's assets that could have a material effect on our consolidated financial statements.

the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

The Company's independent registered public accounting firm that audited the consolidated financial statements has issued an audit report on the effective operation of the Company's internal control over financial reporting as of June 30, 2009, a copy of which is included in this annual report.

/s/ John N. Hopkins

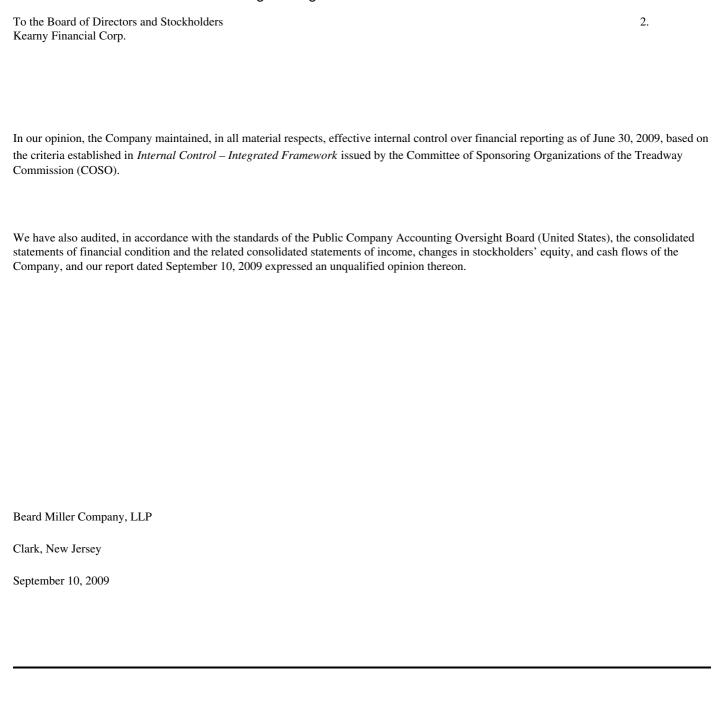
/s/ William C. Ledgerwood

John N. Hopkins

President and Chief Executive Officer

William C. Ledgerwood Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM
To the Board of Directors and Stockholders of
Kearny Financial Corp.
We have audited Kearny Financial Corp.'s (the "Company") internal control over financial reporting as of June 30, 2009, based on criteria established in <i>Internal Control - Integrated Framework</i> issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission (COSO). The Company's management is responsible for maintaining effective internal control over financial reporting and for its assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting, included in the accompanying Management's Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's internal control over financial reporting based on our audit.
We conducted our audit in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether effective internal control over financial reporting was maintained in all material respects. Our audit of internal control over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal control over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. Our audit also included performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.
A company's internal control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company; (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and directors of the company; and (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.
Because of its inherent limitations, internal control over financial reporting may not prevent or detect misstatements. Also, projections of any evaluation of effectiveness to future periods are subject to the risk that controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.



REPORT OF	INDEPENDENT	REGISTERED	PUBLIC	ACCOUNTING	FIRM

To the Board of Directors and Stockholders of

Kearny Financial Corp.

We have audited the accompanying consolidated statements of financial condition of Kearny Financial Corp. and Subsidiaries (collectively the "Company") as of June 30, 2009 and 2008, and the related consolidated statements of income, changes in stockholders' equity and cash flows for each of the years in the three-year period ended June 30, 2009. The Company's management is responsible for these consolidated financial statements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall consolidated financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Company as of June 30, 2009 and 2008, and the consolidated results of their operations and cash flows for each of the years in the three-year period ended June 30, 2009, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

We also have audited, in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States), the Company's internal control over financial reporting as of June 30, 2009, based on the criteria established in *Internal Control - Integrated Framework* issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission (COSO), and our report dated September 10, 2009, expressed an unqualified opinion thereon.

Beard Miller Company LLP		
Clark, New Jersey		
September 10, 2009		
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## **Consolidated Statements of Financial Condition**

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	(I	n Thousands, E	xce	pt Share
	aı	nd Per Share D	ata)	
Assets				
Cash and amounts due from depository institutions	\$	25,970	\$	19,864
Interest-bearing deposits in other banks		185,555		111,859
Cash and Cash Equivalents		211,525		131,723
Securities available for sale (amortized cost 2009 \$31,658; 2008 \$40,305)		28,027		38,183
Loans receivable, including net premiums and deferred loan costs 2009 \$962; 2008 \$1,276		1,045,847		1,027,790
Less allowance for loan losses		(6,434 )		(6,104)
Net Loans Receivable		1,039,413		1,021,686
Mortgage-backed securities available for sale (amortized cost 2009 \$665,127; 2008 \$726,037)  Mortgage-backed securities held to maturity (estimated fair value 2009 \$3,678; 2008 \$0)  Premises and equipment  Federal Home Loan Bank of New York ("FHLB") stock		683,785 4,321 35,495		726,023 — 34,950
Interest receivable		12,950 8,237		13,076
Goodwill		82,263		8,949 82,263
Bank owned life insurance		16,267		15,709
Deferred income tax assets, net		1,395		9,028
Other assets		1,243		1,449
Total Assets	\$	2,124,921	\$	2,083,039
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity				
Liabilities				
Deposits:				
Non-interest bearing	\$	51,210	\$	53,349
Interest-bearing		1,369,991		1,325,683
Total Deposits		1,421,201		1,379,032
Advances from FHLB		210,000		218,000
Advance payments by borrowers for taxes		5,714		5,849
Other liabilities		11,286		8,787
Total Liabilities		1,648,201		1,611,668
Stockholders' Equity				
Preferred stock, \$0.10 par value; 25,000,000 shares authorized; none issued and outstanding		_		_
Common stock, \$0.10 par value; 75,000,000 shares authorized; 72,737,500 shares issued; 2009		7 274		7.074
69,241,600 outstanding; 2008 70,489,003 outstanding Paid-in capital		7,274		7,274
i dio in capital		208,577		203,266

Retained earnings	309,687		307,186	
Unearned Employee Stock Ownership Plan shares; 2009 1,115,308 shares; 2008 1,260,783 shares	(11,153	)	(12,608	)
Treasury stock, at cost; 2009 3,495,900 shares; 2008 2,248,497 shares	(45,985	)	(32,023	)
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	8,320		(1,724	)
Total Stockholders' Equity	476,720		471,371	
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	\$ 2,124,921	\$	2.083.039	)

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

## **Consolidated Statements of Income**

	Years Ended June 30,					
	20	09	2	008	20	007
	(In Thousands, Except Per Share					
Interest Income						
Loans	\$	60,559	\$	55,123	\$	44,972
Mortgage-backed securities		34,944		34,773		32,222
Securities:						
Taxable		408		1,186		1,492
Tax-exempt		634		1,074		4,708
Other interest-earning assets		1,363		5,211		12,167
Total Interest Income		97,908		97,367		95,561
Interest Expense						
Deposits		35,694		43,308		47,351
Borrowings		8,506		7,220		3,117
Total Interest Expense		44,200		50,528		50,468
Net Interest Income		53,708		46,839		45,093
Provision for Loan Losses		317		94		571
Net Interest Income after Provision for Loan Losses		53,391		46,745		44,522
Non-Interest Income						
Fees and service charges		1,415		1,336		992
(Loss) gain on sale of securities		(415	)	_		55
Other-than-temporary security impairment:						
Total		(988	)	(659	)	_
Less: Portion recognized in other comprehensive income		274		_		_
Portion recognized in earnings		(714	)	(659	)	_
Miscellaneous		1,233		1,372		1,442
Total Non-Interest Income		1,519		2,049		2,489
Non-Interest Expenses						
Salaries and employee benefits		25,449		24,678		27,553
Net occupancy expense of premises		4,135		3,746		3,466
Equipment		4,487		4,546		4,685
Advertising		900		852		1,500
Federal deposit insurance premium		1,864		186		208
Amortization of intangible assets		29		241		636
Directors' compensation		2,200		2,250		2,313
Miscellaneous		4,858		4,440		4,495

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Total Non-Interest Expenses	43,922	40,939	44,856
Income before Income Taxes	10,988	7,855	2,155
Income Taxes	4,597	1,951	221
Net Income	\$ 6,391	\$ 5,904	\$ 1,934
Net Income per Common Share (EPS) Basic and Diluted	\$ 0.09	\$ 0.09	\$ 0.03
Weighted Average Number of Common Shares Outstanding Basic	68,111	68,675	69,242
Diluted	68,223	68,789	69,581

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

Consolidated Statements of Changes in Stockholders' Equity

Years Ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007

	Common S	tock	Paid-In	Retained	Unearned ESOP	Treasury	Accumulated Other Comprehensiv Income	ve
	Shares	Amount	Capital	<b>Earnings</b>	Shares	Stock		Total
	(In Thousan	ds, Except	Per Share Dat	a)				
Balance - June 30, 2006		\$ 7,274	\$ 192,534	\$ 306,728	\$ (15,517)	\$—	\$ (15,885 )	\$475,134
Comprehensive income:								
Net income				1,934				1,934
Realized gain on securities available for	_			1,934	<del></del>			1,934
sale, net of income tax expense of \$19 Unrealized gain on securities available	_	_	_	_	_	_	(36 )	(36)
for sale, net of deferred income tax expense of \$3,628	_	_	_		_	_	7,810	7,810
<b>Total Comprehensive Income</b>								9,708
Adjustment to initially apply FASB Statement No. 158, net of deferred								
income tax of \$727	_	_	_	_	_	_	(1,093 )	(1,093 )
ESOP shares committed to be released (144 shares)			716		1,454			2,170
Stock option expense	_	_	1,942	<u> </u>	1,434	_	<del></del>	1,942
Treasury stock purchases	(1.600 )		1,942		_	(24.572.)		
Treasury stock reissued	(1,608 )	_	(40	_	_	(24,573	) —	(24,573)
Restricted stock plan shares purchased	13		(40)	<del></del>	_	212	_	172
(54 shares) Restricted stock plan shares earned	_	_	(789 )	_	_	_	_	(789 )
(258 shares) Tax effect from stock based	_	_	3,179	_	_		_	3,179
compensation Cash dividends declared (\$0.20/public			434			_	_	434
share)	_	_	_	(3,692 )	_	_	_	(3,692 )
Balance - June 30, 2007	71,143	7,274	197,976	304,970	(14,063)	(24,361	) (9,204 )	462,592
Comprehensive income:								
Net income	_		_	5,904	_	_		5,904
Loss on impairment of securities available for sale, net of income tax benefit of \$0 Unrealized gain on securities available	_	_	_	_	_	_	659	659
for sale, net of deferred income tax expense of \$4,091	_	_	_	_	_	_	6,169	6,169

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

Consolidated Statements of Changes in Stockholders' Equity

Years Ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007

	Common S	tock	Paid-In	Retained	Unearned ESOP	Treasury	Accumulated Other Comprehens Income	
	Shares	Amount	Capital	Earnings	Shares	Stock	(Loss)	Total
	(In Thousan	ds, Except	Per Share Dat	a)				
Benefit plans, net of deferred income tax expense of \$433	_	_	_	_	_	_	653	652
<b>Total Comprehensive Income</b>								13,384
ESOP shares committed to be released (144 shares) Dividends contributed for payment of	_	_	278	_	1,455	_	_	1,733
ESOP loan Stock option expense	_	_	54	_	_		_	54
Treasury stock purchases	— (659 )	_	1,908	_	_	(7,738	_ ) _	1,908 (7,738 )
Treasury stock reissued	5		(13)	_		76	<i></i>	63
Restricted stock plan shares earned (252 shares)	_	_	3,084	_	_	_	_	3,084
Tax effect from stock based compensation	_	_	(21)	_	_	_		(21)
Cash dividends declared (\$0.20/public share)	_	_	_	(3,688 )	_		_	(3,688 )
Balance - June 30, 2008	70,489	7,274	203,266	307,186	(12,608)	(32,023	) (1,724 )	471,371
Comprehensive income:								
Net income	_	_	_	6,391	_	_	_	6,391
Realized loss on securities available, for sale, net of								
income tax benefit of \$170 Unrealized gain on securities available for							245	245
sale, net of deferred income tax expense of \$6,821 Non-credit related other-than-temporary impairment losses	_	_	_	_	_	_	9,925	9,925
on securities held to maturity, net of								
deferred income tax benefit of \$113	_	_	_	_	_	_	(161 )	(161 )
Benefit plans, net of deferred income tax								
expense of \$116	_	_	_	_	_	_	184	184
<b>Total Comprehensive Income</b>								16,584

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

Consolidated Statements of Changes in Stockholders' Equity

Years Ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007

	Common S Shares (In Thousan	Amount	Paid-In Capital Per Share Dat	Retained Earnings a)	Unearned ESOP Shares	Treasury	Accumulate Other Comprehen Income (Loss)	
Adjustment to initially apply FASB Statement No. 158, measurement date provisions, net of income tax benefit								
of \$34 Cumulative-effect adjustment to initially apply EITF	_	_	_	(66 )	_	_	16	(50 )
Issue No. 06-4 Cumulative-effect adjustment to initially apply FSP	_	_	_	(480 )	_	_	_	(480 )
FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2 ESOP shares committed to be released (145 shares)		_	<b>—</b> 236	165 —	 1,455	_	(165 ) —	<b>-</b> 1,691
Dividends contributed for payment of ESOP loan Stock option expense			81 1,906	_	_	_	_	81 1,906
Treasury stock purchases Restricted stock plan shares earned (251 shares)	(1,247 ) —	_	3,086	_	_	(13,962 )	_	(13,962 ) 3,086
Tax effect from stock based compensation Cash dividends declared (\$0.20/public	_	_	2	(2.500	_	_	_	2
share) Balance - June 30, 2009	69,242	<b>\$ 7,274</b>	<b>\$ 208,577</b>	(3,509 ) \$ 309,687	<b>\$</b> (11,153 )	<b>\$</b> (45,985 )	<b>\$</b> 8,320	(3,509 ) \$476,720

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

## **Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows**

Cash Flows from Operating Activities	20	ears Ende 109 n Thousand	2	2007			
Net income	\$	6,391	¢	5,904	9	1,934	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:	Ф	0,391	\$	3,904	4	1,934	
Depreciation and amortization of premises and equipment		1,777		1,856		1,934	
Net amortization of premiums, discounts and loan fees and costs		722		839		946	
Deferred income taxes		673		(1,950	)	(1,621	)
Amortization of intangible assets		29		241	,	636	,
Amortization of benefit plans' unrecognized net loss, net of				211		050	
gain from curtailment		207		224		_	
Provision for loan losses		317		94		571	
Realized loss (gain) on sale of securities available for sale		415		_		(55	)
Loss on other-than-temporary impairment of securities		714		659		_	
Realized gain on sale of deposits		(132	)				
Realized loss (gain) on disposition of premises and equipment		7		_		(3	)
Increase in cash surrender value of bank owned life insurance		(558	)	(555	)	(526	)
ESOP, stock option plan and restricted stock plan expenses		6,683		6,725		7,291	
Decrease (increase) in interest receivable		712		(921	)	808	
Decrease (increase) in other assets		170		2,503		(9	)
(Decrease) increase in interest payable		(72	)	878		(68	)
Increase (decrease) in other liabilities		2,101		(249	)	718	
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities		20,156		16,248		12,556	
Cash Flows from Investing Activities							
Purchases of securities available for sale		_		(357	)	(388	)
Proceeds from sales of securities available for sale		1,353		48,476		131,38	3
Proceeds from calls and maturities of securities available for sale		35		661		4,229	
Proceeds from repayments of securities available for sale		872		838		1,861	
Purchases of loans		(67,698	)	(102,228	)	(97,521	1 )
Net decrease (increase) in loans receivable		49,348		(59,319	)	(60,218	3 )
Purchases of mortgage-backed securities available for sale		(77,364	)	(224,188	)	(104,75	56 )
Principal repayments on mortgage-backed securities available for sale		137,741		152,694		138,92	6
Principal repayments on mortgage-backed securities held to maturity		780		_			
Additions to premises and equipment		(2,328	)	(1,437	)	(1,380	)
Proceeds from cash settlement on premises and equipment		_		_		21	
Purchases of FHLB stock		(459	)	(9,386	)	(223	)
Redemptions of FHLB stock		585		472		1,467	
Net Cash Provided by (Used in) Investing Activities		42,865		(193,774	)	13,401	

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

## **Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows**

Cash Flows from Financing Activities	Years End 2009 (In Thousa				une 30, 2008		2007		
Net increase (decrease) in deposits	•	50,615		Φ.	(32,639	)	Φ	(32,052	,
Payment in connection with sale of deposits	Ψ	•	)	Ψ	(32,03)	,	Ψ	(32,032	,
Repayment of long-term FHLB advances			)		(10,488	)		(32,617	,
Long-term FHLB advances			,		200,000	-		(32,017	,
(Decrease) increase in advance payments by borrowers for taxes		(135	)		389			228	
Dividends paid to minority stockholders of Kearny Financial Corp.			)			)			)
Purchase of common stock of Kearny Financial Corp. for treasury		(13,962				)		(24,573	
Treasury stock reissued		(13,702	,		63	,		172	,
Purchase of common stock of Kearny Financial Corp. for restricted stock plan					_			(789	)
Dividends contributed for payment of ESOP loan		81			54			(70)	,
Tax benefit (expense) from stock based compensation		2			(21	)		434	
•		_			(21	,		757	
Net Cash Provided by (Used in) Financing Activities		16,781			145,908			(92,895	)
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents		79,802			(31,618	)		(66,938	)
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning		131,723			163,341			230,279	1
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Ending	\$	211,525		\$	131,723		\$	163,341	
Supplemental Disclosures of Cash Flows Information Cash paid during the year for:									
Income taxes, net of refunds	\$	3,854		¢	1,946		\$	1,490	
	Ф	3,034		φ	1,940		φ	1,490	
Interest	\$	44,272		\$	49,650		\$	50,536	
	Ψ	,- · <b>-</b>		Ψ	.,,,,,,,,		Ψ	- 5,000	
Non-cash investing activities:									
Mortgage-backed securities held to maturity received in exchange for equity security available for sale	\$	5,972		\$	_		\$	_	

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

**Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements** 

### Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### **Basis of Consolidated Financial Statement Presentation**

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Kearny Financial Corp. (the "Company"), its wholly-owned subsidiaries, Kearny Federal Savings Bank (the "Bank") and Kearny Financial Securities, Inc., and the Bank's wholly-owned subsidiaries KFS Financial Services, Inc., Kearny Federal Investment Corp. and KFS Investment Corp., have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). All significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities as of the dates of the consolidated statements of financial condition and revenues and expenses for the periods then ended. Actual results could differ significantly from those estimates. Material estimates that are particularly susceptible to significant change relate to the determination of the allowance for loan losses, the evaluation of goodwill for impairment, identification of other-than-temporary impairment of securities and the determination of the amount of deferred tax assets which are more likely than not to be realized. Management believes that the allowance for loan losses represents its best estimate of losses known and inherent in the loan portfolio that are both probable and reasonable to estimate, impairment testing of goodwill and evaluation for other-than-temporary impairment of securities are done in accordance with GAAP; and deferred tax assets are properly recognized. While management uses available information to recognize losses on loans, future additions to the allowance for loan losses may be necessary based on changes in economic conditions in the market area. Moreover, various regulatory agencies, as an integral part of their examination process, periodically review the Bank's allowance for loan losses. Such agencies may require the recognition of additions to the allowance based on their judgments about information available to them at the time of their examination. Additionally, subsequent evaluations of the Company's goodwill that originated from the application of purchase accounting associated with the Company's prior acquisition of three community banks, could identify impairments to the intangible asset that would result in future charges to earnings. Finally, the determination of the amount of deferred tax assets more likely than not to be realized is dependent on projections of future earnings, which are subje

### **Business of the Company and Subsidiaries**

The Company's primary business is the ownership and operation of the Bank. The Bank is principally engaged in the business of attracting deposits from the general public at its 26 locations in New Jersey and using these deposits, together with other funds, to originate or purchase loans for its portfolio and invest in securities. Loans originated or purchased by the Bank generally include loans collateralized by residential and commercial real estate augmented by secured and unsecured loans to businesses and consumers. The investment securities purchased by the Bank generally include U.S. agency mortgage-backed securities, U.S. government and agency debentures and bank-qualified municipal obligations. The Bank maintains a small balance of single issuer trust preferred securities and non-agency mortgage-backed securities which were acquired through the Company's purchase of other institutions and does not actively purchase such securities.

The Company's other subsidiary, Kearny Financial Securities, Inc., was organized in April 2005 under Delaware law as a Delaware Investment Company primarily to hold investment and mortgage-backed securities. At June 30, 2009 and during the three-year period then ended, Kearny Financial Securities, Inc. was considered inactive.

The Bank has three wholly owned subsidiaries: KFS Financial Services, Inc., Kearny Federal Investment Corp. and KFS Investment Corp. KFS Financial Services, Inc. was incorporated as a New Jersey corporation in 1994 under the name of South Bergen Financial Services, Inc., was acquired in Kearny's merger with

### **Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements**

#### **Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**

South Bergen Savings Bank in 1999 and was renamed KFS Financial Services, Inc. in 2000. It is a service corporation subsidiary organized for selling insurance products to Bank customers and the general public through a third party networking arrangement.

Kearny Federal Investment Corp. was organized in July 2004 under New Jersey law as a New Jersey Investment Company primarily to hold investment and mortgage-backed securities. In June 2008, Kearny Federal Investment Corp. was formally dissolved and its assets returned to its parent company, the Bank.

KFS Investment Corp. was organized in October 2007 under New Jersey law as a New Jersey Investment Company to potentially replace Kearny Federal Investment Corp. At June 30, 2009 and during the two-year period then ended, KFS Investment Corp. was considered inactive.

#### **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents include cash and amounts due from depository institutions and interest-bearing deposits in other banks, all with original maturities of three months or less.

#### **Securities**

In accordance with Statement of Financial Standards ("SFAS") issued by the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") No. 115 "Accounting for Certain Investments in Debt and Equity Securities," as amended, the Company classifies its investment securities into one of three portfolios: held to maturity, available for sale or trading. Investments in debt securities that we have the positive intent and ability to hold to maturity are classified as held to maturity securities and reported at amortized cost. Debt and equity securities that are bought and held principally for the purpose of selling them in the near term are classified as trading securities and reported at fair value, with unrealized holding gains and losses included in earnings. Debt and equity securities not classified as trading securities or as held to maturity securities are classified as available for sale securities and reported at fair value, with unrealized holding gains or losses, net of deferred income taxes, reported in the accumulated other comprehensive income ("OCI") component of stockholders' equity.

If the fair value of a security is less than its amortized cost, the security is deemed to be impaired. Management evaluates all securities with unrealized losses quarterly to determine if such impairments are "temporary" or "other-than-temporary" in accordance with applicable accounting guidance including, but not limited to, SFAS No. 115 and Emerging Issues Task Force ("EITF") Issue No. 99-20, "Recognition of Interest Income and Impairment on Purchased Beneficial Interests and Beneficial Interests That Continue to be Held by a Transferor in Securitized Financial Asset," as amended.

The Company accounts for temporary impairments based upon their classification as either available for sale, held to maturity or managed within a trading portfolio. Temporary impairments on "available for sale" securities are recognized, on a tax-effected basis, through OCI with offsetting entries adjusting the carrying value of the security and the balance of deferred taxes. Conversely, the Company does not adjust the carrying value of "held to maturity" securities for temporary impairments, although information concerning the amount and duration of impairments on held to maturity securities is generally disclosed in periodic financial statements. The carrying value of securities held in a trading portfolio is adjusted to their fair value through earnings on a daily basis. However, the Company maintained no securities in trading portfolios at or during the periods presented in these financial statements.

The Company accounts for other-than-temporary impairments based upon several considerations. First, other-than-temporary impairments on securities that the Company has decided to sell as of the close of a fiscal period, or will, more likely than not, be required to sell prior to the full recovery of the their fair value to a

## Kearny Financial Corp. and Subsidiaries

**Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements** 

#### **Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**

level equal to or exceeding their amortized cost, are recognized in earnings. If neither of these conditions regarding the likelihood of the securities' sale are applicable, then, for debt securities, the other-than-temporary impairment is bifurcated into credit-related and noncredit-related components. A credit-related impairment generally represents the amount by which the present value of the cash flows that are expected to be collected on an debt security fall below its amortized cost. The noncredit-related component represents the remaining portion of the impairment not otherwise designated as credit-related. The Company recognizes credit-related, other-than-temporary impairments in earnings. However, noncredit-related, other-than-temporary impairments on debt securities are recognized in OCI.

Premiums and discounts on all securities are amortized/accreted to maturity by use of the level-yield method considering the impact of principal amortization and prepayments on mortgage-backed securities. Premiums and discounts on callable securities are generally amortized/accreted on a "yield to worst" basis. That is, premiums on callable securities are amortized to the call date whereas discounts on such securities are accreted to the maturity date. Gain or loss on sales of securities is based on the specific identification method.

#### **Concentration of Risk**

Financial instruments which potentially subject the Company and its subsidiaries to concentrations of credit risk consist of cash and cash equivalents, loans receivable and mortgage-backed securities. Cash and cash equivalents include deposits placed in other financial institutions. At June 30, 2009, the Company had \$25,587,000 and \$159,968,000 on deposit with a money center bank and the Federal Home Loan Bank ("the FHLB") of New York, respectively. Securities include concentrations of investments backed by U.S. government agencies, including the Federal National Mortgage Association ("Fannie Mae"), the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation ("Freddie Mac"), the Government National Mortgage Association ("Ginnie Mae") and the Small Business Administration ("SBA"). Lesser concentration risk exists in the Bank's municipal obligations, non-agency mortgage-backed securities and single issuer trust preferred securities due to comparatively lower total balances of such securities held by the Bank and the variety of issuers represented. The Bank's lending activity is primarily concentrated in loans collateralized by real estate in the State of New Jersey. As a result, credit risk is broadly dependent on the real estate market and general economic conditions in the state. Additionally, the Bank's lending policies limit the amount of credit extended to any single borrower and their related interests thereby limiting the concentration of credit risk to any single borrower.

### Loans Receivable

Loans receivable, net are stated at unpaid principal balances, net of deferred loan origination fees and costs, purchased discounts and premiums and the allowance for loan losses. Certain direct loan origination costs net of loan origination fees, are deferred and amortized, using the level-yield method, as an adjustment of yield over the contractual lives of the related loans. Unearned premiums and discounts are amortized or accreted by use of the level-yield method over the contractual lives of the related loans.

Recognition of interest by the accrual method is generally discontinued when interest or principal payments are ninety days or more in arrears on a contractual basis, or when other factors indicate that the collection of such amounts is doubtful. At the time a loan is placed on nonaccrual status, an allowance for uncollected interest is recorded in the current period for previously accrued and uncollected interest. Interest on such loans, if appropriate, is recognized as income when payments are received. A loan is returned to accrual status when interest or principal payments are no longer ninety days or more in arrears on a contractual basis and factors indicating doubtful collectibility no longer exist.

## Kearny Financial Corp. and Subsidiaries

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

#### **Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**

#### **Allowance for Loan Losses**

The allowance for loan losses is a valuation account that reflects the Company's estimation of the losses in its loan portfolio to the extent they are both probable and reasonable to estimate. The balance of the allowance is generally maintained through provisions for loan losses that are charged to income in the period that estimated losses on loans are identified by the Company's loan review system. The Company charges losses on loans against the allowance as such losses are actually incurred. Recoveries on loans previously charged-off are added back to the allowance.

The Company's allowance for loan loss calculation methodology utilizes a "two-tier" loss measurement process that is performed quarterly. The Company first identifies the loans that must be reviewed individually for impairment in accordance with SFAS No. 114. Loans eligible for individual impairment review generally represent the Company's larger and/or more complex loans including commercial mortgage loans, comprising multifamily, nonresidential real estate and construction loans, as well as the Company's commercial business loans. However, the Company may also evaluate certain individual one-to-four family mortgage loans, home equity loans and home equity lines of credit for impairment based upon certain risk factors. Factors considered in identifying individual loans to be reviewed include, but may not be limited to, delinquency status, size of loan, type and condition of collateral and the financial condition of the borrower.

A reviewed loan is deemed to be impaired when, based on current information and events, it is probable that we will be unable to collect all amounts due according to the contractual terms of the loan agreement. Once a loan is determined to be impaired, management measures the amount of impairment associated with that loan. Impairment is generally defined as the difference between the carrying value and fair value of a loan where former exceeds the latter. For the collateral dependent mortgage loans that comprise the large majority of the Company's portfolio, the fair value of the real estate collateralizing the loan serves as a practical expedient for the fair value of the impaired loan itself. Such values are generally determined based upon a discounted market value prepared by a qualified, independent real estate appraiser. As supported by the accounting and regulatory guidance, the fair value of the collateral is further reduced by estimated selling costs when such costs are expected to reduce the cash flows available to repay the loan.

The Company establishes specific valuation allowances in the fiscal period during which loan impairments are identified. Such valuation allowances are adjusted in subsequent fiscal periods, where appropriate, to reflect any changes in carrying value or fair value identified during subsequent impairment evaluations which are updated quarterly by management.

The second tier of the loss measurement process involves estimating the probable and estimable losses in accordance with SFAS No. 5 which addresses loans not otherwise reviewed for impairment in accordance with SFAS No. 114. Such loans generally comprise large groups of smaller-balance homogeneous loans, such as one-to-four family mortgage loans, home equity loans and lines of credit and consumer loans, that may generally be excluded from individual impairment analysis and instead collectively evaluated for impairment. Such loans also include non-impaired loans of the larger and/or more complex types, such as the Company's commercial mortgage and business loans.

Valuation allowances established in accordance with SFAS No. 5 utilize historical and environmental loss factors to collectively estimate the level of probable losses within defined segments of the Company's loan portfolio. These segments aggregate homogeneous subsets of loans with similar risk characteristics based upon loan type. For allowance for loan loss calculation and reporting purposes, the Company currently stratifies its loan portfolio into four primary categories: Real estate mortgage loans, consumer loans,

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#### **Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**

commercial business loans and construction loans. Within these broad categories, the Company defines certain segments. For example, the real estate mortgage loan category comprises three primary segments including one-to-four family mortgage loans, TICIC participations in commercial real estate loans and other (non-TICIC) commercial real estate loans. Commercial real estate loans comprise both multi-family and non-residential mortgage loans. The consumer loan category includes several segments including home equity loans, home equity lines of credit, passbook or certificate account loans and other consumer-related loans which include, but may not be limited to, bridge loans, home improvement loans and overdraft checking loans. The commercial business loan and construction loan categories require no further delineation with each representing a defined segment of the loan portfolio for allowance for loan loss calculation and reporting purposes.

In regard to historical loss factors, the Company's allowance for loan loss calculation calls for an analysis of historical charge-offs and recoveries for each of the defined segments within the loan portfolio. The Company generally utilizes a minimum five-year moving average of annual net charge-off rates (charge offs net of recoveries) by loan segment, where available, to calculate its actual historical loss experience. Additional years of charge off history may be considered in the calculation to reflect an appropriate historical basis for the calculation. The outstanding principal balance of each loan segment is multiplied by the applicable historical loss factor to estimate the level of probable losses based upon the Company's historical loss experience.

As noted, the Company's allowance for loan loss calculation also utilizes environment loss factors to estimate the probable losses within the loan portfolio. Environmental loss factors are based upon specific qualitative criteria representing key sources of risk within the loan portfolio. Such risk criteria includes the level of and trends in delinquencies and non-accrual loans; the effects of changes in credit policy; the experience, ability and depth of the lending function's management and staff; national and local economic trends and conditions; credit risk concentrations and changes in local and regional real estate values. For each segment of the loan portfolio, a level of risk, developed from a number of internal and external resources, is assigned to each of the qualitative criteria utilizing a six-point scale ranging from zero (negligible risk) to 15 (high risk). The sum of the risk values, expressed as a whole number, is multiplied by .01% to arrive at an overall environmental loss factor, expressed in basis points, for each segment. The outstanding principal balance of each loan segment is multiplied by the applicable environmental loss factor to estimate the level of probable losses based upon the qualitative risk criteria.

The sum of the calculations based on historical and environmental loss factors represents the total targeted balance for the Company's allowance for general loan losses at the end of a fiscal period. The Company's policy regarding the allowance for loan losses requires that its actual balance of general valuation allowances be maintained at a level within a threshold of +/- 15% of the targeted balance. The Company utilizes the allowable threshold to acknowledge and account for the relative imprecision of the environmental loss factors used in the calculation of the targeted balance of general valuation allowances. Any balance of general valuation allowances in excess of the targeted balance is considered as unallocated with such balances attributable to probable losses within the loan portfolio relating to environmental factors within one or more non-specified loan segments. The Company adjusts its balance of general valuation allowances through the provision for loan losses as required to ensure that the balance of the allowance for loan losses reflects all probable and estimable loans losses at the close of the fiscal period.

Although management believes that specific and general loan losses are established in accordance with management's best estimate, actual losses are dependent upon future events and, as such, further additions to the level of loan loss allowances may be necessary.

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### Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

#### **Premises and Equipment**

Land is carried at cost. Buildings and improvements, furnishings and equipment and leasehold improvements are carried at cost, less accumulated depreciation and amortization computed on the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

	Years
Building and improvements	10 - 50
Furnishings and equipment	4 - 20
Leasehold improvements	Shorter of useful lives or lease
	term

Construction in progress primarily represents facilities under construction for future use in our business and includes all costs to acquire land and construct buildings, as well as capitalized interest during the construction period. Interest is capitalized at the Bank's average cost of interest-bearing liabilities.

Significant renewals and betterments are charged to the property and equipment account. Maintenance and repairs are charged to operations in the year incurred. Rental income is netted against occupancy costs in the consolidated statements of income.

#### Federal Home Loan Bank Stock

Federal law requires a member institution of the FHLB system to hold restricted stock of its district FHLB according to a predetermined formula. The restricted stock is carried at cost, less any applicable impairment.

#### **Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets**

Goodwill and other intangible assets principally represent the excess cost over the fair value of the net assets of the institutions acquired in purchase transactions. Goodwill is evaluated annually by reporting unit and an impairment loss recorded if indicated. The impairment test is performed in two phases. The first step of the goodwill impairment test compares the fair value of the reporting unit with its carrying amount, including goodwill. If the fair value of the reporting unit exceeds its carrying amount, goodwill of the reporting unit is considered not impaired; however, if the carrying amount of the reporting unit exceeds its fair value, an additional procedure must be performed. That additional procedure compares the implied fair value of the reporting unit's goodwill (as defined in SFAS No. 142), with the carrying amount of that goodwill. An impairment loss is recorded to the extent that the carrying amount of goodwill exceeds its implied fair value. No impairment charges were required to be recorded in the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 or 2007. If an impairment loss is determined to exist in the future, such loss will be reflected as an expense in the consolidated statements of income in the period in which the impairment loss is determined. Separate intangible assets, including core deposit intangibles that are not deemed to have indefinite lives, continue to be amortized over their useful lives, which is estimated to be ten years.

### **Bank Owned Life Insurance**

Bank owned life insurance is accounted for using the cash surrender value method and is recorded at its realizable value. The change in the net asset value is recorded as a component of non-interest income.

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### **Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**

Effective July 1, 2008, the Company adopted the provisions of EITF No. 06-4 "Accounting for Deferred Compensation and Postretirement Benefit Aspects of Endorsement Split-Dollar Life Insurance Arrangements" ("EITF 06-4"). The Company recognized the cumulative effect of adopting the consensus by recording a deferred liability of approximately \$480,000, representing the estimated cost of postretirement life insurance benefits accruing to applicable employees and directors covered by an endorsement split-dollar life insurance arrangement, offset by an equivalent adjustment to retained earnings. The Company recorded additional expense of approximately \$33,000 for the year ended June 30, 2009 attributable to the increase in the deferred liability for fiscal 2009.

#### **Income Taxes**

The Company and its subsidiaries file consolidated federal income tax returns. Federal income taxes are allocated to each entity based on their respective contributions to the taxable income of the consolidated income tax returns. Separate state income tax returns are filed for the Company and each of its subsidiaries on an unconsolidated basis.

Federal and state income taxes have been provided on the basis of the Company's income or loss as reported in accordance with GAAP. The amounts reflected on the Company's state and federal income tax returns differ from these provisions due principally to temporary differences in the reporting of certain items for financial statement reporting and income tax reporting purposes. The tax effect of these temporary differences is accounted for as deferred taxes applicable to future periods. Deferred income tax expense or benefit is determined by recognizing deferred tax assets and liabilities for the estimated future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in earnings in the period that includes the enactment date. The realization of deferred tax assets is assessed and a valuation allowance provided for the full amount which is not more likely than not to be realized.

Effective July 1, 2007, the Company adopted the provisions of FASB Interpretation No. ("FIN") 48, "Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes." The Interpretation provides clarification on accounting for uncertainty in income taxes recognized in an enterprise's financial statements in accordance with SFAS No. 109, "Accounting for Income Taxes." The Interpretation prescribes a recognition threshold and measurement attribute for the financial statement recognition and measurement of a tax position taken or expected to be taken in a tax return, and also provides guidance on de-recognition, classification, interest and penalties, accounting in interim periods, disclosure and transition.

The Company's indentified no significant income tax uncertainties through the evaluation of its income tax positions for the year ended June 30, 2009. Therefore, the Company recognized no adjustment for unrecognized income tax benefits during fiscal 2009. Our policy is to recognize interest and penalties on unrecognized tax benefits in income tax expense in the Consolidated Statements of Income. The Company recognized interest and penalties of \$-0-, \$45,000 and \$-0- during the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, respectively. The tax years subject to examination by the taxing authorities are the years ended June 30, 2008, 2007 and 2006.

### Other Comprehensive Income

The Company records unrealized gains and losses, net of deferred income taxes, on available for sale securities and mortgage-backed securities in accumulated other comprehensive income. Unrealized losses on available for sale securities recorded through OCI are generally considered "temporary" security impairments. However, the Company also records noncredit-related, "other-than-temporary" security impairments on both

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### **Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**

the available for sale and held to maturity debt securities, where applicable, through OCI in circumstances where the sale of the security is unlikely. Realized gains and losses, if any, are reclassified to non-interest income upon sale of the related securities The Company has elected to report the effects of OCI in the consolidated statements of stockholders' equity.

OCI also includes benefit plans amounts recognized under SFAS No. 158. This adjustment to OCI reflects, net of tax, transition obligations, prior service costs and unrealized net losses that had not been recognized in the consolidated financial statements prior to the implementation of SFAS No. 158.

#### Interest Rate Risk

The Bank is principally engaged in the business of attracting deposits from the general public and using these deposits, together with other funds, to originate or purchase loans for its portfolio and invest in securities. Taken together, these activities present interest rate risk to the Company's earnings and capital that generally arise from differences between the timing of rate changes and the timing of cash flows (re-pricing risk); from changing rate relationships among yield curves that affect bank activities (basis risk); from changing rate relationships across the spectrum of maturities (yield curve risk); and from interest-rate-related options embedded in bank products (option risk).

In particular, interest rate risk within the Bank's balance sheet results from the generally shorter duration of its interest-sensitive liabilities compared to the generally longer duration of its interest-sensitive assets. In a rising rate environment, liabilities will re-price faster than assets. As a result, the Bank's cost of interest-bearing liabilities will increase faster than its yield on interest-earning assets, thereby reducing the Bank's net interest rate spread and net interest margin and adversely impacting net income. A similar result occurs when the interest rate yield curve "flattens"; that is, when increases in shorter term market interest rates outpace the change in longer term market interest rates or when decreases in longer term interest rates outpace the change in shorter term interest rates. In both cases, the re-pricing characteristics of the Bank's assets and liabilities result in a decrease in the Bank's net interest rate spread and net interest margin.

Conversely, an overall reduction in market interest rates, or a "steepening" of the yield curve, generally enhances the Bank's net interest rate spread and net interest margin which, in turn, enhances net income. However, the positive effect on earnings from such movements in interest rates may be diminished as the pace of borrower refinancing increases resulting in the Company's higher yielding loans and mortgage-backed securities being replaced with lower yielding assets at an accelerated rate.

For these reasons, management regularly monitors the maturity and re-pricing structure of the Bank's assets and liabilities throughout a variety of interest rate scenarios in order to measure and manage its level of interest-rate risk in relation to the goals and objectives of its strategic business plan.

### Net Income per Common Share ("EPS")

Basic EPS is based on the weighted average number of common shares actually outstanding adjusted for the Employee Stock Ownership Plan ("the ESOP") shares not yet committed to be released and unvested restricted stock awards. Diluted EPS reflects the potential dilution that could occur if securities or other contracts to issue common stock, such as unvested restricted stock awards and outstanding stock options, were exercised or converted into common stock or resulted in the issuance of common stock that then shared in the earnings of the Company. Diluted EPS is calculated by adjusting the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding to include the effect of contracts or securities exercisable or which could be converted into common stock, if dilutive, using the treasury stock method. Shares issued and reacquired during any period are weighted for the portion of the period they were outstanding.

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#### **Stock Compensation Plans**

The Company adopted SFAS No. 123(R) upon approval of the Kearny Financial Corp. 2005 Stock Compensation and Incentive Plan on October 24, 2005, and, accordingly, expenses the fair value of all options granted over their vesting periods and the fair value of all share-based compensation granted over the requisite service periods.

#### Advertising

The Company expenses advertising and marketing costs as incurred.

#### Reclassification

Certain amounts as of and for the years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007 have been reclassified to conform to the current year's presentation.

#### **Subsequent Events**

The Company has evaluated events and transactions occurring subsequent to the balance sheet date of June 30, 2009, for items that should potentially be recognized or disclosed in these financial statements. The evaluation was conducted through September 14, 2009, the date these financial statements were issued.

### **Note 2 - Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

SFAS No. 141(R) "Business Combinations" was issued in December of 2007. SFAS No. 141(R) establishes principles and requirements for how the acquirer of a business recognizes and measures in its financial statements the identifiable assets acquired, the liabilities assumed, and any non-controlling interest in the acquiree. SFAS No. 141(R) also provides guidance for recognizing and measuring the goodwill acquired in the business combination and determines what information to disclose to enable users of the financial statements to evaluate the nature and financial effects of the business combination. The guidance will become effective as of the beginning of a company's fiscal year beginning after December 15, 2008. This new pronouncement will impact the Company's accounting for business combinations completed after the effective date.

In February 2008, the FASB issued FASB Staff Position ("FSP") Financial Accounting Standard ("FAS") 140-3, "Accounting for Transfers of Financial Assets and Repurchase Financing Transactions." This FSP addresses the issue of whether or not these transactions should be viewed as two separate transactions or as one "linked" transaction. The FSP includes a "rebuttable presumption" that presumes linkage of the two transactions unless the presumption can be overcome by meeting certain criteria. The FSP will be effective for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2008 and will apply only to original transfers made after that date; early adoption will not be allowed. The Company expects that FAS 140-3 will not have an impact on its consolidated financial statements.

In March 2008, the FASB issued SFAS No. 161, "Disclosures about Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities—an amendment of FASB Statement No. 133". SFAS No. 161 requires entities that utilize derivative instruments to provide qualitative disclosures about their objectives and strategies for using such instruments, as well as any details of credit-risk-related contingent features contained within derivatives. SFAS No. 161 also requires entities to disclose additional information about the amounts and location of derivatives located within the financial statements, how the provisions of SFAS No. 133 has been applied, and the impact that hedges have on an entity's financial position, financial performance, and cash flows. SFAS No. 161 is effective for fiscal years and interim periods beginning after November 15, 2008, with early application encouraged. The Company expects that SFAS No. 161 will not have an impact on its consolidated financial statements.

In April 2008, the FASB issued FSP FAS 142-3, "Determination of the Useful Life of Intangible Assets." This FSP amends the factors that should be considered in developing renewal or extension assumptions used to

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#### **Note 2 - Recent Accounting Pronouncements (Continued)**

determine the useful life of a recognized intangible asset under SFAS No. 142, "Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets." The intent of this FSP is to improve the consistency between the useful life of a recognized intangible asset under SFAS No. 142 and the period of expected cash flows used to measure the fair value of the asset under SFAS No. 141(R), and other GAAP. This FSP is effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2008, and interim periods within those fiscal years. Early adoption is prohibited. The implementation of this standard will not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

In June 2008, the FASB issued FSP EITF 03-6-1, "Determining Whether Instruments Granted in Share-Based Payment Transactions Are Participating Securities." This FSP clarifies that all outstanding unvested share-based payment awards that contain rights to non-forfeitable dividends participate in undistributed earnings with common shareholders. Awards of this nature are considered participating securities and the two-class method of computing basic and diluted earnings per share must be applied. This FSP is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2008. The implementation of this standard will not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

In September 2008, the FASB issued FSP FAS 133-1 and FASB Interpretation ("FIN") 45-4, "Disclosures about Credit Derivatives and Certain Guarantees: An Amendment of FASB Statement No. 133 and FASB Interpretation No. 45; and Clarification of the Effective Date of FASB Statement No. 161" (FSP FAS 133-1 and FIN 45-4). FSP FAS 133-1 and FIN 45-4 amends and enhances disclosure requirements for sellers of credit derivatives and financial guarantees. It also clarifies that the disclosure requirements of SFAS No. 161 are effective for quarterly periods beginning after November 15, 2008, and fiscal years that include those periods. FSP 133-1 and FIN 45-4 is effective for reporting periods (annual or interim) ending after November 15, 2008. The implementation of this standard did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

In December 2008, the FASB issued FSP FAS 140-4 and FIN 46(R)-8, "Disclosures by Public Entities (Enterprises) about Transfers of Financial Assets and Interests in Variable Interest Entities". FSP FAS 140-4 and FIN 46(R)-8 amends FASB SFAS 140 "Accounting for Transfers and Servicing of Financial Assets and Extinguishments of Liabilities", to require public entities to provide additional disclosures about transfers of financial assets. It also amends FIN 46(R), "Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities", to require public enterprises, including sponsors that have a variable interest entity, to provide additional disclosures about their involvement with variable interest entities.

Additionally, this FSP requires certain disclosures to be provided by a public enterprise that is (a) a sponsor of a qualifying special purpose entity (SPE) that holds a variable interest in the qualifying SPE but was not the transferor of financial assets to the qualifying SPE and (b) a servicer of a qualifying SPE that holds a significant variable interest in the qualifying SPE but was not the transferor of financial assets to the qualifying SPE. The disclosures required by FSP FAS 140-4 and FIN 46(R)-8 are intended to provide greater transparency to financial statement users about a transferor's continuing involvement with transferred financial assets and an enterprise's involvement with variable interest entities and qualifying SPEs. FSP FAS 140-4 and FIN 46(R) is effective for reporting periods (annual or interim) ending after December 15, 2008. The implementation of this standard did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

In January 2009, the FASB issued FSP EITF 99-20-1, "Amendments to the Impairment Guidance of EITF Issue No. 99-20". FSP EITF 99-20-1 amends the impairment guidance in EITF Issue No. 99-20, "Recognition of Interest Income and Impairment on Purchased Beneficial Interests and Beneficial Interests That Continue to Be Held by a Transferor in Securitized Financial Assets", to achieve more consistent determination of whether an other-than-temporary impairment has occurred. FSP EITF 99-20-1 also retains and emphasizes the objective of an

other-than-temporary impairment assessment and the related disclosure requirements in SFAS No. 115, "Accounting for Certain Investments in Debt and Equity Securities", and other related guidance. FSP EITF 99-
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### **Note 2 - Recent Accounting Pronouncements (Continued)**

20-1 is effective for interim and annual reporting periods ending after December 15, 2008, and shall be applied prospectively. Retrospective application to a prior interim or annual reporting period is not permitted. The implementation of this standard did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

In April 2009, the FASB issued FSP FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2, "Recognition and Presentation of Other-Than-Temporary Impairments". FSP FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2 clarifies the interaction of the factors that should be considered when determining whether a debt security is other-than-temporarily impaired. For debt securities, management must assess whether (a) it has the intent to sell the security and (b) it is more likely than not that it will be required to sell the security prior to its anticipated recovery. These steps are done before assessing whether the entity will recover the cost basis of the investment. Previously, this assessment required management to assert it has both the intent and the ability to hold a security for a period of time sufficient to allow for an anticipated recovery in fair value to avoid recognizing an other-than-temporary impairment. This change does not affect the need to forecast recovery of the value of the security through either cash flows or market price.

In instances when a determination is made that an other-than-temporary impairment exists but the investor does not intend to sell the debt security and it is not more likely than not that it will be required to sell the debt security prior to its anticipated recovery, FSP FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2 changes the presentation and amount of the other-than-temporary impairment recognized in the income statement. The other-than-temporary impairment is separated into (a) the amount of the total other-than-temporary impairment related to a decrease in cash flows expected to be collected from the debt security (the credit loss) and (b) the amount of the total other-than-temporary impairment related to all other factors. The amount of the total other-than-temporary impairment related to the credit loss is recognized in earnings. The amount of the total other-than-temporary impairment related to all other factors is recognized in other comprehensive income.

This FSP is effective for interim and annual reporting periods ending after June 15, 2009. The adoption of FSP FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2 did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In April 2009, the FASB issued FSP FAS 107-1 and Accounting Principles Board ("APB") 28-1, "Interim Disclosures about Fair Value of Financial Instruments" (FSP FAS 107-1 and APB 28-1). FSP FAS 107-1 and APB 28-1 amend FASB Statement No. 107, "Disclosures about Fair Value of Financial Instruments," to require disclosures about fair value of financial instruments for interim reporting periods of publicly traded companies as well as in annual financial statements. This FSP also amends APB Opinion No. 28, "Interim Financial Reporting," to require those disclosures in summarized financial information at interim reporting periods.

This FSP is effective for interim and annual reporting periods ending after June 15, 2009. The adoption of FSP FAS 107-1 and APB 28-1 did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In June 2009, the FASB issued SFAS No. 166, "Accounting for Transfers of Financial Assets, an Amendment of FASB Statement No. 140." This statement prescribes the information that a reporting entity must provide in its financial reports about a transfer of financial assets; the effects of a transfer on its financial position, financial performance and cash flows; and a transferor's continuing involvement in transferred financial assets. Specifically, among other aspects, SFAS No. 166 amends SFAS No. 140, "Accounting for Transfers and Servicing of Financial Assets and Extinguishments of Liabilities" by removing the concept of a qualifying special-purpose entity from SFAS No. 140 and removes the exception from applying FIN 46(R) to variable interest entities that are qualifying special-purpose entities. It also modifies the financial-components approach used in SFAS No. 140. SFAS No. 166 is effective for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2009. The Company is currently evaluating the potential impact the new pronouncement will have on its consolidated financial statements.

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### **Note 2 - Recent Accounting Pronouncements (Continued)**

In June 2009, the FASB issued SFAS No. 167, "Amendments to FASB Interpretation No. 46(R)." This statement amends FIN. 46, "Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities (revised December 2003) — an interpretation of ARB No. 51," to require an enterprise to determine whether its variable interest or interests give it a controlling financial interest in a variable interest entity. The primary beneficiary of a variable interest entity is the enterprise that has both (1) the power to direct the activities of a variable interest entity that most significantly impact the entity's economic performance and (2) the obligation to absorb losses of the entity that could potentially be significant to the variable interest entity or the right to receive benefits from the entity that could potentially be significant to the variable interest entity. SFAS No. 167 also amends FIN 46(R) to require ongoing reassessments of whether an enterprise is the primary beneficiary of a variable interest entity. SFAS No. 167 is effective for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2009. The Company is currently evaluating the potential impact the new pronouncement will have on its consolidated financial statements.

In June 2009, the FASB issued SFAS No. 168, "The FASB Accounting Standards Codification and the Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles, a replacement of FASB Statement No. 162." SFAS No. 168 replaces SFAS No. 162, "The Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles" to establish the "FASB Accounting Standards Codification" as the source of authoritative accounting principles recognized by the FASB to be applied by nongovernmental entities in preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States. SFAS No. 168 is effective for interim and annual periods ending after September 15, 2009. The Company expects that SFAS No. 168 will not have an impact on its consolidated financial statements.

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#### Note 3 – Stock Offering and Stock Repurchase Plans

On June 7, 2004, the Board of Directors of the Company and the Bank adopted a plan of stock issuance pursuant to which the Company subsequently sold common stock representing a minority ownership of the estimated pro forma market value of the Company to eligible depositors of the Bank. Kearny MHC (the "MHC") retained 70% of the outstanding common stock, or 50,916,250 shares. The MHC is a federally-chartered mutual holding company organized on March 30, 2001, and is subject to regulation by the Office of Thrift Supervision. So long as the MHC is in existence, it will continue to own a majority of the outstanding common stock of the Company.

On November 9, 2005, the Company announced that it received regulatory approval to begin the purchase of up to 1,425,655 shares or approximately 2% of the outstanding shares of its common stock in open market transactions for use in funding the Company's 2005 Stock Compensation and Incentive Plan previously approved by stockholders. During the year ended June 30, 2006, the Company purchased 1,371,341 shares at a total cost of \$18,941,000, or approximately \$13.81 per share. During the year ended June 30, 2007, the Company completed this process, purchasing in the open market 54,314 shares at a total cost of \$789,000, or approximately \$14.52 per share

On July 18, 2006, the Company announced that the Board of Directors authorized a stock repurchase plan to acquire up to 1,091,063 shares, or 5% of the Company's outstanding common stock held by persons other than Kearny MHC. During the year ended June 30, 2007, a total of 1,091,063 shares were purchased under the plan at a cost of \$17,398,000, or approximately \$15.95 per share.

On January 18, 2007, the Company announced that the Board of Directors authorized a second stock repurchase plan to acquire up to 1,036,634 shares, or 5% of the Company's outstanding stock held by persons other than Kearny MHC. During the year ended June 30, 2007, the Company purchased in the open market 516,600 shares at a cost of \$7,175,000, or approximately \$13.89 per share. During the year ended June 30, 2008, the Company completed this stock purchase plan, purchasing in the open market 520,034 shares at a total cost of \$6,194,000, or approximately \$11.91 per share.

On April 23, 2008, the Company announced that the Board of Directors authorized a third stock repurchase plan to acquire up to 985,603 shares, or 5% of the Company's outstanding stock held by persons other than Kearny MHC. During the year ended June 30, 2008, the Company purchased in the open market 139,300 shares at a cost of \$1,544,000, or approximately \$11.09 per share. During the year ended June 30, 2009, the Company completed this stock purchase plan, purchasing in the open market 846,303 shares at a total cost of \$9,787,000, or approximately \$11.56 per share.

On March 3, 2009, the Company announced that the Board of Directors authorized a fourth stock repurchase plan to acquire up to 936,323 shares, or 5% of the Company's outstanding stock held by persons other than Kearny MHC. During the year ended June 30, 2009, the Company purchased in the open market 401,100 shares at a cost of \$4,175,000, or approximately \$10.41 per share.

During the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, the federally chartered mutual holding company of the Company, Kearny MHC, waived its right, upon non-objection from the Office of Thrift Supervision, to receive cash dividends of \$10,183,000, \$10,183,000 and \$10,183,000, respectively, declared by the Company during the year.

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### Note 4 - Securities Available for Sale

The amortized cost, gross unrealized gains and losses, estimated fair value and stratification by contractual maturity of securities available for sale at June 30, 2009 and 2008 are presented below:

	Ju	me 30, 2009			G	ross		
			G	ross				
	Aı	mortized	U	nrealized	U	nrealized	C	arrying
	Cost		Gains		Losses			alue
	(In Thousands)							
Securities:	,	,						
Debt securities:								
Trust preferred securities	\$	8,846	\$	40	\$	3,756	\$	5,130
U.S. agency securities		4,645		_		88		4,557
Obligations of state and political subdivisions		18,167		237		64		18,340
Total Securities		31,658		277		3,908		28,027
Mortgage-backed securities:								
Government National Mortgage Association		17,620		861		50		18,431
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation		282,068		7,980		580		289,468
Federal National Mortgage Association		365,439		10,723		276		375,886
<b>Total Mortgage-backed Securities</b>		665,127		19,564		906		683,785
Total Securities Available for Sale	\$	696,785	\$	19,841	\$	4,814	\$	711,812

	At June 30, 2009	
	Amortized	Fair
	Cost	Value
	(In Thousands)	
Debt securities:		
Due in one year or less	<b>\$</b> —	<b>\$</b> —
Due after one year through five years	3,427	3,508
Due after five years through ten years	14,524	14,617
Due after ten years	13,707	9,902

Total \$ 31,658 \$ 28,027

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**Note 4 - Securities Available for Sale (Continued)** 

	Ju	June 30, 2008						
	Amortized Cost		U	Gross Unrealized Gains		Gross Unrealized Losses		arrying alue
	(Iı	n Thousands)						
Securities:								
Equity securities:								
Mutual Fund	\$	7,740	\$	_	\$	195	\$	7,545
Debt securities:		Ź						ŕ
Trust preferred securities		8,838		44		1,514		7,368
U.S. agency securities		5,523		1		11		5,513
Obligations of state and political subdivisions		18,204		5		452		17,757
Total Debt Securities		32,565		50		1,977		30,638
Total Securities		40,305		50		2,172		38,183
Mortgage-backed securities:								
Government National Mortgage Association		21,246		792		108		21,930
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation		316,955		2,261		1,768		317,448
Federal National Mortgage Association		387,836		2,302		3,493		386,645
Total Mortgage-backed Securities		726,037		5,355		5,369		726,023
Total Securities Available for Sale	\$	766,342	\$	5,405	\$	7,541	\$	764,206

During the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, proceeds from sales of securities available for sale totaled \$7,325,000, \$48,476,000 and \$131,383,000 and resulted in gross gains of \$-0-, \$57,000 and \$1,342,000 and gross losses of \$415,000, \$57,000 and \$1,287,000, respectively.

At June 30, 2009 and 2008, mortgage-backed securities available for sale with carrying value of approximately \$245,238,000 and \$244,880,000, respectively, were utilized as collateral for borrowings via repurchase agreements through the FHLB of New York. As of those same dates, mortgage-backed securities available for sale with carrying value of approximately \$1,634,000 and \$1,831,000, respectively, were pledged to secure public funds on deposit.

At June 30, 2009 and 2008, all obligations of states and political subdivisions were guaranteed by insurance policies issued by various insurance companies.

The Company's available for sale mortgage-backed securities are generally secured by residential mortgage loans with contractual maturities of 15 years or greater. However, the effective lives of those securities are generally shorter than their contractual maturities due to principal amortization and prepayment of the mortgage loans comprised within those securities. Investors in mortgage pass-though securities generally share in the receipt of principal repayments on a pro-rata basis as paid by the borrowers.

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#### Note 5 – Securities Held to Maturity

The amortized cost, gross unrealized gains and losses and estimated fair value of securities held to maturity at June 30, 2009 are as follows:

	Jι	ine 30, 2009						
			G	ross	G	ross	E	stimated
	C	arrying	U	nrealized	U	nrealized		
	V	alue	G	ains	L	osses	F	air Value
	(Iı	n Thousands)						
Collateralized mortgage obligations:								
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation	\$	175	\$	14	\$	_	\$	189
Federal National Mortgage Association		1,030		72		3		1,099
Non-agency securities		2,509		2		731		1,780
<b>Total Collateralized Mortgage Obligations</b>		3,714		88		734		3,068
Mortgage-backed securities:								
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation		198		2		_		200
Federal National Mortgage Association		409		2		1		410
Total Mortgage-backed Securities		607		4		1		610
Total Securities Held to Maturity	\$	4,321	\$	92	\$	735	\$	3,678

The Company had no held to maturity securities at or during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008.

There were no sales of securities from the held to maturity portfolio during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009. Held to maturity securities were not utilized as collateral for borrowings nor pledged to secure public funds on deposit during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009.

The Company's held to maturity collateralized mortgage obligations and mortgage-backed securities are generally secured by residential mortgage loans with contractual maturities of 15 years or greater. However, the effective lives of those securities are generally shorter than their contractual maturities due to principal amortization and prepayment of the mortgage loans comprised within those securities. Investors in mortgage pass-though securities generally share in the receipt of principal repayments on a pro-rata basis as paid by the borrowers. In addition to mortgage pass-through securities, the held to maturity portfolio also contains collateralized mortgage obligations. Such securities generally represent individual tranches within a larger investment vehicle that is designed to distribute cash flows received on securitized mortgage loans to investors in a manner determined by the overall terms and structure of the investment vehicle and those applying to the individual tranches within that structure.

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#### Note 6 – Impairment of Securities

In accordance with GAAP, if the fair value of a debt security is less than its amortized cost, the security is deemed to be impaired. In such circumstances, an entity is generally required to evaluate the impairment to determine if it is "temporary" or "other-than-temporary".

The Company accounts for temporary impairments based upon the guidance codified in SFAS No. 115 "Accounting for Certain Investments in Debt and Equity Securities," as amended, which addresses, in part, the appropriate accounting for changes in the fair value of debt securities based upon their classification as either available for sale, held to maturity or managed within a trading portfolio. In general, the temporary impairments on "available for sale" securities are recognized, on a tax-effected basis, through OCI with offsetting entries adjusting the carrying value of the security and the balance of deferred taxes. Conversely, the Company is not required to recognize temporary impairments of value on "held to maturity" securities, although such information is generally disclosed in periodic financial statements. The carrying value of securities held in a trading portfolio is adjusted to their fair value through earnings on a daily basis. However, the Company currently maintains no securities in trading portfolios.

Through March 31, 2009, the accounting for other-than-temporary impairments was generally addressed by SFAS No. 115, as amended by FASB's issuance of FSP No. FAS 115-1 and FAS 124-1, "The Meaning of Other-Than-Temporary Impairment and Its Application to Certain Investment" and EITF Issue No. 99-20, "Recognition of Interest Income and Impairment on Purchased Beneficial Interests and Beneficial Interests That Continue to be Held by a Transferor in Securitized Financial Asset," as amended by FASB's issuance of FSP EITF 99-20-1, "Amendments to the Impairment Guidance of EITF Issue No. 99-20."

Through these statements, the FASB provided guidance on determining when an investment is considered impaired, when an impairment is other-than-temporary and the manner in which an entity should measure and account for other-than-temporary impairment. In general, the guidance in effect through March 31, 2009 required that all other-than-temporary impairments identified on debt and equity securities be recognized in earnings with no differentiation in accounting between the components of the identified impairment arising from different causes.

During the fourth fiscal quarter ended June 30, 2009, the Company adopted FSP FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2, "Recognition and Presentation of Other-Than-Temporary Impairments" which introduced a distinction in the accounting for the "credit-related" versus "noncredit-related" components of an other-than-temporary impairment under certain circumstances. Consistent with prior guidance, all other-than-temporary impairments, both credit-related and noncredit-related, identified on securities that the Company intends to sell or would, more likely than not, be required to sell before the recovery of its amortized basis, continue to be recognized through earnings.

However, if neither of the conditions regarding the likelihood of the security's sale apply, then the other than temporary impairment is to be bifurcated into credit-related and noncredit-related components. In brief, a credit-related impairment generally represents the amount by which the present value of the cash flows that are expected to be collected on an other-than-temporarily impaired security fall below its amortized cost. The noncredit-related component represents the remaining portion of the impairment not otherwise designated as credit-related. As in the past, credit-related other-than-temporary impairments continue to be recognized in earnings. However, the staff position further amended SFAS No. 115 to require that noncredit-related, other-than-temporary impairment on debt securities be recognized in OCI.

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### **Note 6 – Impairment of Securities (Continued)**

At March 31, 2009, the Company had accumulated other-than-temporary impairments of investment securities totaling \$570,000, all of which were recorded through earnings during fiscal 2009. Of that balance, approximately \$290,000 was determined by the Company to be "credit-related" with the remaining \$280,000 attributed to noncredit-related factors. In accordance with its adoption of FSP FAS 115-2 and FAS 124-2, the Company recorded a cumulative effect of adoption adjustment effective April 1, 2009 between retained earnings and accumulated other comprehensive income totaling \$165,000 representing the after-tax effect of the adoption.

The Company identified an additional \$418,000 in other-than-temporary impairments, \$144,000 of which was considered to be credit-related, other-than-temporary impairments that were recognized through earnings during the quarter ended June 30, 2009 and \$274,000 considered noncredit-related other-than-temporary impairments recorded through OCI on a tax effected basis during that same quarter.

In total, the Company recognized other-than-temporary impairment charges through earnings of \$714,000 and \$659,000 for the years ended June 30, 2009 and June 30, 2008, respectively. There were no other-than-temporary impairment charges recognized during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007.

The other-than-temporary impairment charges recorded during the year ended June 30, 2008 were attributable to the AMF Ultra Short Mortgage Fund, a mutual fund that experienced ongoing losses in net asset value which were determined by management to be other-than-temporary during the prior fiscal year.

Due to continued declines in net asset value, the Company withdrew its investment in the fund in July, 2008 by invoking a redemption-in-kind option. Specifically, cash redemptions had been temporarily prohibited by the fund manager to protect shareholders from forced liquidations at distressed price levels that had adversely impacted the fund's net asset value. Through this transaction, the Company exchanged its investment in the mutual fund for its pro-rata portion of the its assets in lieu of a cash redemption. The assets acquired through the redemption-in-kind transaction included \$6.0 million of mortgage-backed securities and \$1.3 million of cash held by the fund. Of the mortgage-backed securities, \$4.0 million represented non-agency collateralized mortgage obligations and \$2.0 million represented U.S. agency mortgage pass-through securities and collateralized mortgage obligations.

The shares redeemed for cash and underlying securities were written down to fair value as of the trade date resulting in a loss on sale of the mutual fund totaling \$415,000 during the quarter ended September 30, 2008. As discussed in greater detail above, the impairment charges recognized through earnings and OCI during the remainder of fiscal 2009 totaling \$988,000 were fully attributable to additional other-than-temporary declines in the fair value of the securities acquired through the mutual fund redemption-in-kind.

The following three tables summarize the fair values and gross unrealized losses within the available for sale and held to maturity portfolios at June 30, 2009 and June 30, 2008. The gross unrealized losses, presented by security type, represent temporary impairments of value within each portfolio as of the dates presented. Temporary impairments within the available for sale portfolio have been recognized through OCI as reductions in stockholders' equity on a tax-effected basis.

The tables are followed by a discussion that summarizes the Company's rationale for recognizing the certain impairments as "temporary" versus those identified as "other-than-temporary". Such rationale is presented by investment type and generally applies consistently to both the "available for sale" and "held to maturity" portfolios, except where specifically noted. As noted earlier, the Company's mortgage-backed securities held in the available for sale and held to maturity portfolios are generally secured by residential mortgage loans.

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### Note 6 - Impairment of Securities (Continued)

	Less than 12 Months		12 Months	or More	Total Fair		
	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized	1 411	Unrealized	
	Value	Losses	Value	Losses	Value	Losses	
	(In Thousa	nds)					
Securities Available for Sale:							
June 30, 2009:							
Trust preferred securities	<b>\$</b> —	<b>\$</b> —	\$ 4,090	\$ 3,756	\$ 4,090	\$ 3,756	
U.S. agency securities	79	1	4,451	87	4,530	88	
Obligations of state and political subdivisions	_	_	3,767	64	3,767	64	
Mortgage-backed securities	31,356	546	22,085	360	53,441	906	
Total	\$ 31,435	\$ 547	\$ 34,393	\$ 4,267	\$ 65,828	\$ 4,814	
June 30, 2008:							
Mutual fund	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 7,545	\$ 195	\$ 7,545	\$ 195	
Trust preferred securities	2,765	619	3,559	895	6,324	1,514	
U.S. agency securities	_	_	5,422	11	5,422	11	
Obligations of state and political subdivisions	_	_	17,677	452	17,677	452	
Mortgage-backed securities	82,426	1,032	222,169	4,337	304,595	5,369	
Total	\$ 85,191	\$ 1,651	\$ 256,372	\$ 5,890	\$ 341,563	\$ 7,541	

The number of available for sale securities with unrealized losses at June 30, 2009 totaled 82 and included four trust preferred securities, eight U.S. agency securities, 12 obligations of state and political subdivisions and 56 mortgage-backed securities. The number of available for sale securities with unrealized losses at June 30, 2008 totaled 224 and included one mutual fund, four trust preferred securities, seven U.S. agency securities, 43 obligations of state and political subdivisions and 169 mortgage-backed securities.

	Less than	Less than 12 Mor		12 Mont	ths or More	Total		
	Fair	Unrealized		Fair	Unrealized	Fair	U	nrealized
	Value	L	osses	Value	Losses	Value	L	osses
	(In Thousa	ands)	)					
Securities Held to Maturity:								
June 30, 2009:								
Collateralized mortgage obligations	\$ 1,570	\$	734	_	_	\$ 1,570	\$	734
Mortgage-backed securities	120		1	_	_	120		1
Total	\$ 1,690	\$	735	_	_	\$ 1,690	\$	735

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#### **Note 6 – Impairment of Securities (Continued)**

The number of held to maturity securities with unrealized losses at June 30, 2009 totaled 47 and included seven mortgage-backed securities and 40 collateralized mortgage obligations.

#### U.S. Agency Mortgage-backed Securities

The carrying value of the Company's agency mortgage-backed securities totaled \$685.6 million including collateralized mortgage obligations of \$1.2 million at June 30, 2009 and comprised 95.7% of total investments and 32.3% of total assets as of that date. This category of securities generally includes mortgage pass-through securities and collateralized mortgage obligations issued by U.S. government-sponsored entities such as Ginnie Mae, Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac who guarantee the contractual cash flows associated with those securities. Those guarantees were strengthened during the 2008-2009 financial crisis during which time Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac were placed into receivership by the federal government. Through those actions, the U.S. government effectively reinforced the guarantees of their agencies thereby assuring the creditworthiness of the mortgage-backed securities issued by those agencies.

With credit risk being reduced to negligible levels due to the U.S. government's support of these agencies, the unrealized losses on the Company's investment in U.S. agency mortgage-backed securities are due largely to the combined effects of several market-related factors. First, movements in market interest rates significantly impact the average lives of mortgage-backed securities by influencing the rate of principal prepayment attributable to refinancing activity. Changes in the expected average lives of such securities significantly impact their fair values due to the extension or contraction of the cash flows that an investor expects to receive over the life of the security.

Historically, lower market interest rates generally prompt greater refinancing activity thereby shortening the average lives of mortgage-backed securities and vice-versa. However, prepayment rates are also influenced by fluctuating real estate values and the overall availability of credit in the marketplace which significantly impacts the ability of borrowers to refinance. The deteriorating real estate market values and reduced availability of credit that has characterized the residential real estate marketplace over the past two years has significantly slowed both real estate purchase and refinancing activities. Consequently, prepayment rates on mortgage-backed securities have generally slowed thereby extending their average lives.

The market price of mortgage-backed securities, being the key measure of the fair value to an investor in such securities, is also influenced by the overall supply and demand for such securities in the marketplace. Absent other factors, an increase in the demand for, or a decrease in the supply of a security increases its price. Conversely, a decrease in the demand for, or an increase in the supply of a security decreases its price. The recent volatility and uncertainty in the marketplace has reduced the overall level of demand for mortgage-backed securities which has generally had an adverse impact on their prices in the open market. This has been further exacerbated by many larger institutions shedding mortgage-related assets to shrink their balance sheets for capital adequacy purposes thereby increasing the supply of such securities.

In sum, the factors influencing the fair value of the Company's U.S. agency mortgage-backed securities, as described above, generally result from movements in market interest rates and changing real estate and financial market conditions which affect the supply and demand for such securities. Inasmuch as such market conditions fluctuate over time, the impairments of value arising from these changing market conditions are both "noncredit-related" and "temporary" in nature.

The Company has the stated ability and intent to "hold-to-maturity" those securities so designated. Moreover, the Company has both the ability and intent, as of the periods presented, to hold the temporarily impaired "available for sale" securities until the fair value of the securities recover to a level equal to or greater than the

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### Note 6 - Impairment of Securities (Continued)

Company's amortized cost. More specifically, as of June 30, 2009 the Company has not decided to sell the securities. Additionally, the Company has concluded that the possibility of being required to sell the securities prior to their anticipated recovery is unlikely based upon its strong liquidity, asset quality and capital position as of that date.

Finally, the Company purchased these securities at either discounts or nominal premiums relative to their par amounts. Accordingly, the Company expects that the securities will not be settled for a price less than their amortized cost.

In light of the factors noted above, the Company does not consider its U.S. agency mortgage-backed securities with unrealized losses at June 30, 2009 to be "other-than-temporarily" impaired as of that date.

#### Non-agency Mortgage-backed Securities

The outstanding balance of the Company's non-agency mortgage-backed securities totaled \$2.5 million at June 30, 2009 and comprised less than one percent of total investments and total assets as of that date. All such securities were acquired during fiscal 2009 when the Company invoked a redemption-in-kind relating to its prior investment in the AMF Ultra Short Mortgage Fund, as described earlier.

Unlike agency mortgage-backed securities, non-agency collateralized mortgage obligations are not explicitly guaranteed by a U.S. government sponsored entity. Rather, such securities generally utilize the structure of the larger investment vehicle to reallocate credit risk among the individual tranches comprised within that vehicle. Through this process, investors in different tranches are subject to varying degrees of risk that the cash flows of their tranche will be adversely impacted by borrowers defaulting on the underlying mortgage loans. The creditworthiness of certain tranches may also be further enhanced by additional credit insurance protection embedded within the terms of the total investment vehicle.

The Company monitors the general level of credit risk for each of its non-agency mortgage-backed securities based upon the ratings assigned to its specific tranches by one or more credit rating agencies. The level of such ratings, and changes thereto, is one of several factors considered by the Company in identifying those securities that may be other-than-temporarily impaired. For example, all impaired non-agency mortgage backed securities that are rated below investment grade are reviewed individually to determine if such impairment is other-than temporary.

Additional factors considered by the Company in identifying its other-than-temporarily impaired securities include, but are not limited to, the severity and duration of the impairment, the payment performance of the underlying mortgage loans and trends relating thereto, the original terms of the underlying loans regarding credit quality (ex. Prime, Alt-A), the geographic distribution of the real estate collateral supporting those loans and any current or anticipated declines in associated collateral values, as well as the degree of protection against credit losses afforded to the Company's security through the structural characteristics of the larger investment vehicle as noted above. Based upon these additional factors,

the impairment of certain investment grade securities may also be reviewed for other-than-temporary impairment.

Securities determined to be potentially other-than-temporarily impaired are individually analyzed to determine the "credit-related" and "noncredit-related" portions of the impairment. As noted earlier, a credit-related impairment generally represents the amount by which the present value of the cash flows that are expected to be collected on an other-than-temporarily impaired security fall below its amortized cost. Projected cash flows for the Company's non-agency mortgage-backed securities are modeled using an automated securities analytics system that is commonly used by institutional investors and the broker/dealer

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#### **Note 6 – Impairment of Securities (Continued)**

community. The system generates an individual tranche's projected cash flows based upon several input assumptions regarding the payment performance of the mortgage loans underlying the larger investment vehicle of which the Company's tranche is a part. Such assumptions include, but may not be limited to, loan prepayment rates, loan default rates, and the severity of actual losses on defaulting loans. The Company generally bases the input values for these assumptions on historical data reported by the analytics system. The Company then calculates the present value of those cash flows based upon the appropriate discount rate required by the applicable accounting guidance.

The impairments of those securities whose cash flows, when present valued, fall below the Company's carrying value due to expected principal losses are identified as other-than-temporary. The amount by which the present value of the expected cash flows falls below the Company's carrying value of the security is identified as the credit-related portion of the other-than-temporary impairment. The remaining portion, where applicable, is identified as noncredit-related, other-than-temporary impairment.

The impairments of those individually analyzed securities whose cash flows, when present valued, exceed the Company's carrying value or otherwise reflect no expected principal losses, are generally identified as temporary. Similarly, the impairments associated with those securities that have generally retained their investment-grade credit rating and whose additional factors, as noted above, are not characterized by potentially adverse attributes, are also generally identified as temporary. In such cases, the Company attributes the unrealized losses to the same fluctuating market-related factors as those affecting agency mortgage-backed securities, noting, in particular, the comparatively greater temporary adverse effect on fair value arising from the general illiquidity of non-agency, investment grade mortgage-backed securities in the marketplace compared to agency-guaranteed mortgage-backed securities. In light of these factors, the related impairments are defined as "temporary".

The classification of impairment as "temporary" is further reinforced by the Company's stated intent and ability to "hold-to-maturity" all of its non-agency mortgage-backed securities which allows for an adequate timeframe during which the fair values of the impaired securities are expected to recover to the level of their amortized cost. More specifically, as of June 30, 2009 the Company has not decided to sell the securities. Additionally, the Company has concluded that the possibility of being required to sell the securities prior to their anticipated recovery is unlikely based upon the its strong liquidity, asset quality and capital position as of that date.

In light of the factors noted above, the Company concluded that 21 of its 59 non-agency mortgage-backed securities with amortized costs, excluding impairments, totaling approximately \$1.3 million were "other-than-temporarily" impaired by approximately \$988,000 as of June 30, 2009 comprising \$434,000 and \$554,000 of credit-related and non-credit related impairments, respectively. The Company does not consider the remaining 38 non-agency mortgage-backed securities with amortized costs of approximately \$2.2 million to be "other-than-temporarily" impaired as of that date.

### **U.S. Agency Securities**

The outstanding balance of the Company's U.S. agency debt securities totaled \$4.6 million at June 30, 2009 and comprised less than one percent of total investments and total assets as of that date. Such securities are comprised entirely of securitized pools of loans issued and fully guaranteed by the SBA, a U.S. government sponsored entity.

With credit risk being reduced to negligible levels due to the issuer's guarantee, the unrealized losses on the Company's investment in U.S. agency debt securities are due largely to the combined effects of several

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### **Note 6 – Impairment of Securities (Continued)**

market-related factors including movements in market interest rates and general level of liquidity of such securities in the marketplace based on supply and demand. With regard to interest rates, the Company's SBA securities are variable rate investments whose interest coupons are generally based on the Prime index minus a margin. Based upon the historically low level of short term market interest rates, of which the Prime index is one measure, the current yields on these securities are comparatively low. Consequently, the fair value of the securities, as determined based upon the market price of these securities, reflects the adverse effects of the historically low market interest rates at June 30, 2009.

Like the mortgage-backed securities described earlier, the currently diminished fair value of these securities also reflects the extended average lives of the underlying loans resulting from loan prepayment prohibitions that may be embedded in the underlying loans coupled with the generally reduced availability of credit in the marketplace reducing borrower refinancing opportunities. Such influences extend the timeframe over which an investor would anticipate holding the security at a "below market" yield. Similarly, the price of securitized SBA loan pools, also reflects the reduced demand and increased supply in the marketplace attributable to similar factors as those applying to mortgage-backed securities, as presented above.

In sum, the factors influencing the fair value of the Company's U.S. agency securities, as described above, generally result from movements in market interest rates and changing market conditions which affect the supply and demand for such securities. Inasmuch as such market conditions fluctuate over time, the "noncredit-related" impairments of value arising from these changing market conditions are "temporary" in nature.

While all of its securitized SBA loan pools are classified as "available-for-sale", the Company has both the ability and intent, as of the periods presented, to hold the temporarily impaired securities until the fair value of the securities recover to a level equal to or greater than the Company's amortized cost. More specifically, as of June 30, 2009 the Company has not decided to sell the securities. Additionally, the Company has concluded that the possibility of being required to sell the securities prior to their anticipated recovery is unlikely based upon the its strong liquidity, asset quality and capital position as of that date. Moreover, the Company purchased these securities at either par or nominal premiums. Accordingly, the Company expects that the securities will not be settled for a price less than its amortized cost.

In light of the factors noted above, the Company does not consider its U.S. agency securities with unrealized losses at June 30, 2009 to be "other-than-temporarily" impaired as of that date. As such, the temporary impairments associated with these available for sale securities continue to be recognized through OCI.

### Obligations of States and Political Subdivisions

The outstanding balance of the Company's securities representing obligations of state and political subdivisions totaled \$18.3 million at June 30, 2009 and comprised 2.6% of total investments and 0.9% of total assets as of that date. Such securities are generally comprised of bank qualified securities representing general obligations of New Jersey municipalities or the obligations of their related entities such as boards of education or utility authorities.

The Company generally evaluates the level of credit risk for each of the securities within this category based upon ratings assigned by one or more credit rating agencies. Currently, all securities within this category are investment grade with ratings of AA+ or higher by Fitch Ratings ("Fitch") and Aa3 or higher by Moody's Investors Service ("Moody's).

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### **Note 6 – Impairment of Securities (Continued)**

In light of their strong credit ratings, the unrealized losses on the Company's investment in municipal obligations are due largely to the combined effects of several market-related factors including movements in market interest rates and general level of liquidity of such securities in the marketplace based on overall supply and demand. Notwithstanding the strong credit ratings of the Company's specific municipal securities, the market prices of bank-qualified municipal obligations, in general, currently reflect the effect of reduced demand for such securities given the increasingly credit risk-averse nature of financial institutions in the current marketplace. Additionally, such prices reflect the effects of increased supply arising from financial institutions selling investments and reducing assets for capital adequacy purposes, as noted earlier.

In sum, the factors influencing the fair value of the Company's municipal obligations, as described above, generally result from movements in market interest rates and changing market conditions which affect the supply and demand for such securities. Inasmuch as such market conditions fluctuate over time, the "noncredit-related" impairments of value arising from these changing market conditions are "temporary" in nature.

While all of its municipal obligations are classified as "available-for-sale", the Company has both the ability and intent, as of the periods presented, to hold the temporarily impaired securities until the fair value of the securities recover to a level equal to or greater than the Company's amortized cost. More specifically, as of June 30, 2009 the Company has not decided to sell the securities. Additionally, the Company has concluded that the possibility of being required to sell the securities prior to their anticipated recovery is unlikely based upon the its strong liquidity, asset quality and capital position as of that date. Moreover, the Company purchased these securities at either par or nominal premiums. Call provisions, where applicable, require full repayment of principal at par by the issuer. Accordingly, the Company expects that the securities will not be settled for a price less than its amortized cost.

In light of the factors noted above, the Company does not consider its investments in municipal obligations with unrealized losses at June 30, 2009 to be "other-than-temporarily" impaired as of that date. As such, the temporary impairments associated with these available for sale securities continue to be recognized through OCI.

### **Trust Preferred Securities**

The outstanding balance of the Company's trust preferred securities totaled \$5.1 million at June 30, 2009 and comprised less than one percent of total investments and total assets as of that date. The category comprises a total of five "single-issuer" (i.e. non-pooled) trust preferred securities, four of which are impaired as of June 30, 2009, that were originally issued by four separate financial institutions. As a result of bank mergers involving the issuers of these securities, the Company's five trust preferred securities currently represent the de-facto obligations of three separate financial institutions.

The Company generally evaluates the level of credit risk for each of its trust preferred securities based upon ratings assigned by one or more credit rating agencies where such ratings are available. For those trust preferred securities that are impaired, the Company uses such ratings as a practical expedient to identify those securities whose impairments are potentially "credit-related" versus "noncredit-related".

Specifically, impairments associated with investment-grade trust preferred securities are generally categorized as "noncredit-related" given the nominal level of credit losses that would be expected based upon such ratings. At June 30, 2009, the Company owned two securities at an amortized cost of \$2.9 million that were uniformly rated as investment grade by Moody's, Fitch and Standard & Poor's Financial Services ("S&P").

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#### **Note 6 – Impairment of Securities (Continued)**

The securities were originally issued through Chase Capital II and currently represent de-facto obligations of JPMorgan Chase & Co.

The Company has attributed the unrealized losses on these securities to the combined effects of several market-related factors including movements in market interest rates and general level of liquidity of such securities in the marketplace based on overall supply and demand.

With regard to interest rates, the Company's impaired trust preferred securities are variable rate securities whose interest rates generally float with three month Libor plus a margin. Based upon the historically low level of short term market interest rates, the current yield on these securities is comparatively low. Consequently, the fair value of the securities, as determined based upon their market price, reflects the adverse effects of the historically low market interest rates at June 30, 2009.

More significantly, the market prices of the impaired trust preferred securities also currently reflect the effect of reduced demand for such securities given the increasingly credit risk-averse nature of financial institutions in the current marketplace. Additionally, such prices reflect the effects of increased supply arising from financial institutions selling such investments and reducing assets for capital adequacy purposes, as noted earlier.

In sum, the factors influencing the fair value of the Company's investment-grade trust preferred securities, as described above, generally result from movements in market interest rates and changing market conditions which affect the supply and demand for such securities. Inasmuch as such market conditions fluctuate over time, the "noncredit-related" impairments of value arising from these changing market conditions are "temporary" in nature.

In light of the factors noted above, the Company does not consider its investments in those trust preferred securities with unrealized losses at June 30, 2009 that were uniformly rated as investment grade to be "other-than-temporarily" impaired for "credit-related" reasons as of that date.

The impairments of the Company's trust preferred securities with one or more non-investment grade ratings are further evaluated to determine if such impairments are "credit-related". Factors considered in this evaluation include, but may not be limited to, the financial strength and viability of the issuer and its parent company, the security's historical performance through prior business and economic cycles, rating consistency or variability among rating companies, the security's current and anticipated status regarding payment default or deferral of contractual payments to investors and the impact of these factors on the present value of the security's expected future cash flows in relation to its amortized cost basis.

At June 30, 2009, the Company owned two securities at an amortized cost of \$4.9 million that were rated as investment grade by Moody's, but below investment grade by Fitch and S&P. The securities were originally issued through BankBoston Capital Trust IV and MBNA Capital B and currently represent de-facto obligations of Bank of America Corporation.

In evaluating the impairment associated with these securities, the Company noted the overall financial strength and continuing expected viability of the issuing entity's parent, particularly given their systemically critical role in the marketplace. The Company noted the security's absence of historical defaults or payment deferrals throughout prior business cycles and continued performance throughout the current fiscal crisis. The Company also noted the disparity between investment-grade and non-investment grade ratings for the securities among rating companies which demonstrates the current level of uncertainty regarding credit-risk in

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#### **Note 6 – Impairment of Securities (Continued)**

the marketplace. Given these factors, the Company had no basis upon which to estimate an adverse change in the expected cash flows over the securities' remaining terms to maturity.

In light of the factors noted above, the Company does not consider its investments in those trust preferred securities with unrealized losses at June 30, 2009 that were characterized by one or more non-investment grade ratings to be "other-than-temporarily" impaired for "credit-related" reasons as of that date.

While all of its trust preferred securities are classified as "available-for-sale", the Company has both the ability and intent, as of the periods presented, to hold the impaired securities until their fair values recover to a level equal to or greater than the Company's amortized cost. More specifically, as of June 30, 2009 the Company has not decided to sell the securities. Additionally, the Company has concluded that the possibility of being required to sell the securities prior to their anticipated recovery is unlikely based upon the its strong liquidity, asset quality and capital position as of that date. Moreover, the Company purchased these securities at either par or nominal premiums. Call provisions, where applicable, require full repayment of principal at par or higher by the issuer. Accordingly, the Company expects that the securities will not be settled for a price less than its amortized cost.

In light of the factors noted above, the Company does not consider its investments in trust preferred securities with unrealized losses at June 30, 2009 to be "other-than-temporarily" impaired as of that date. As such, the temporary impairments associated with these available for sale securities continue to be recognized through OCI.

The following table presents roll forwards of OTTI recognized in earnings due to credit-related losses. At June 30, 2009, all OTTI are attributed to credit-related factors and have been recognized through earnings.

	Cumulative balance of credit-related	Activity in credit recognized throut three months end	Cumulative balance of			
OTTI recognized in earnings through  March 31, 2009 (In Thousands)	recognized in earnings	Additions for	Additions to existing OTTI for further	Reductions in	Reductions in credit-related OTTI due to accretion of	credit-related OTTI recognized in earnings through
	newly identified credit-related OTTI	credit-related declines in fair value	credit –related OTTI for security sale	impairment into interest income	June 30, 2009	
Collateralized mortgage obligations: Non-agency securities	\$570	\$92	<b>\$52</b>	\$ -	\$ -	\$714

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#### Note 7 - Loans Receivable

	June 30, 2009 2 (In Thousands)		2008	
Real estate mortgage	\$	886,696	\$	866,267
Commercial business		14,812		8,735
Consumer:				
Home equity loans		113,387		123,978
Home equity lines of credit		12,116		11,478
Passbook or certificate		2,922		2,662
Other		1,585		1,332
		130,010		139,450
Construction		13,367		12,062
Total Loans		1,044,885		1,026,514
Unamortized net premiums on purchased loans		389		416
Deferred loan costs and fees, net		573		860
	\$	1,045,847	\$	1,027,790

At June 30, 2009 and 2008, real estate mortgage loans included \$689,317,000 and \$687,679,000, respectively, of loans secured by one-to-four-family residential properties.

The Bank has granted loans to officers and directors of the Company and its Subsidiaries and to their associates. Related party loans are made on substantially the same terms, including interest rates and collateral, as those prevailing at the time for comparable transactions with unrelated persons and do not involve more than normal risk of collectibility. As of June 30, 2009 and 2008 such loans totaled approximately \$5,161,000 and \$5,220,000, respectively. During the year ended June 30, 2009, new loans to related parties totaled \$2,240,000 and repayments totaled approximately \$2,299,000.

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#### Note 7 - Loans Receivable (Continued)

The activity in the allowance for loan losses is as follows:

	Years Ended June 30,							
	20	009		200	<b>)8</b>		200	07
	(I	n Thousai	nds)					
Balance – beginning	\$	6,104		\$	6,049		\$	5,451
Provisions charged to operations		317			94			571
Loans charged off		(6	)		(39	)		_
Loans recovered		19			_			27
Balance – ending	\$	6,434		\$	6,104		\$	6,049

At June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, non-accrual loans for which the accrual of interest had been discontinued totaled approximately \$8,135,000, \$1,573,000 and \$1,489,000, respectively. Had these loans been performing in accordance with their original terms, the interest income recognized for the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, would have been \$591,000, \$105,000, and \$111,000, respectively. Interest income recognized on such loans was \$134,000, \$47,000, and \$45,000, respectively.

At June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, accruing loans which are contractually past due 90 days or more totaled approximately \$5,017,000, \$-0- and \$-0-, respectively. The loans identified as such are mortgages serviced by others for which the servicer has advanced all delinquent principal and interest payments. The Bank may be obligated to reimburse the servicer for some or all of those funds depending upon the final disposition of each loan.

At June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, impaired loans were \$11,075,000, \$2,485,000 and \$-0-, respectively, and the related allowance for loan losses totaled \$1,430,000, \$1,163,000 and \$-0-, respectively. Impaired loans which did not have a specific allocation of the allowance for loan losses totaled \$5,696,000 and \$596,000 at June 30, 2009 and 2008, respectively. During the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, the average balance of impaired loans was \$5,546,000, \$2,519,000 and \$-0-, respectively, and interest income recognized during the periods of impairment totaled \$113,000, \$117,000 and \$-0-, respectively.

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Note 8 - Premises and Equipment

	June 30, 2009 2008 (In Thousands)				
Land	\$	8,964	\$	8,964	
Buildings and improvements	·	31,395	·	30,247	
Leasehold improvements		577		642	
Furnishings and equipment		11,124		11,009	
Construction in progress		2,003		1,261	
		54,063		52,123	
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization		18,568		17,173	
	\$	35,495	\$	34,950	

Land included properties held for future branch expansion totaling \$2,419,000 at both years ended June 30, 2009 and 2008.

Note 9 - Interest Receivable

	June 30, 2009 (In Thousands)	2008	
Loans	<b>\$ 4,485</b>	\$ 4,594	
Mortgage-backed securities	3,533	4,070	
Debt securities	219	285	
	\$ 8,237	\$ 8,949	
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Note 10 - Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets

	Goodwill (In Thousands)	Core Deposit Intangibles	
Balance at June 30, 2006	\$ 82,263	\$ 928	)
Amortization	—	(636	
Balance at June 30, 2007	82,263	292	)
Amortization	—	(241	
Balance at June 30, 2008	82,263	51	)
Amortization	—	( <b>29</b>	
Balance at June 30, 2009	\$ 82,263	\$ 22	

The gross carrying amount of core deposit intangibles was \$5,987,000 at both June 30, 2009 and 2008, while accumulated amortization totaled \$5,965,000 and \$5,936,000 at June 30, 2009 and 2008, respectively. Amortization is expected to total \$22,000 in the year ending June 30, 2010. Core deposit intangibles are included in other assets in the consolidated statements of financial condition.

Note 11 - Deposits

	June 30, 2009	Weighted Average Interest	Average			Weighted Average Interest		
	Amount (Dollars in	Rate Thousands)		A	mount	Rate		
Non-interest bearing demand Interest-bearing demand Savings and club Certificates of deposit	\$ 51,210 163,61 301,63 904,74	1 1.09 7 1.02	%	\$	53,349 151,677 300,397 873,609	1.46 1.04 3.99	%	
	<b>\$ 1,421,</b> 2	201 2.23	%	\$	1,379,032	2.91	%	

Certificates of deposit with balances of \$100,000 or more at June 30, 2009 and 2008, totaled approximately \$275,920,000 and \$236,727,000, respectively. The Bank's deposits are insurable to applicable limits by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. The maximum deposit insurance amount has been increased from \$100,000 to \$250,000 until December 31, 2013. (The expiration date does not apply to retirement

accounts, which are generally insured up to \$250,000 per plan participant.)

# **Kearny Financial Corp. and Subsidiaries Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements**

### Note 11 - Deposits (Continued)

A summary of certificates of deposit by maturity follows:

	June 30, 2009 (In Thousands)	2008
One year or less	\$ 740,383	\$ 709,989
After one to two years	111,086	102,303
After two to three years	24,317	28,086
After three to four years	23,181	10,480
After four to five years	5,772	22,747
After five years	4	4
	\$ 904,743	\$ 873,609

Interest expense on deposits consists of the following:

	Years Ended June 30,						
	20	009	2008	2007			
	(In Thousands)						
Demand	\$	2,098	\$ 2,714	\$ 2,612			
Savings and clubs		3,072	3,272	3,740			
Certificates of deposits		30,524	37,322	40,999			
	\$	35,694	\$ 43,308	\$ 47,351			

#### Note 12 - Advances from FHLB

Fixed rate advances from FHLB of New York mature as follows:

June 30,			
2009		2008	
	Weighted		Weighted
	Average		Average
	Interest		Interest
Amount	Rate	Amount	Rate

### (Dollars in Thousands)

Maturing in years ending June 30:						
2009	<b>\$</b> —	_	%	\$ 8,000	5.47	%
2011	10,000	5.40	%	10,000	5.40	%
2018	200,000	3.79	%	200,000	3.79	%
	\$ 210,000	3.87	%	\$ 218,000	3.93	%

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#### Note 12 - Advances from FHLB (Continued)

At June 30, 2009, of the \$210,000,000 in advances due after one year, \$200,000,000 are callable within one year.

FHLB advances at June 30, 2009 and 2008 are collateralized by the FHLB capital stock owned by the Bank and mortgage-backed securities available for sale with carrying values totaling approximately \$245,238,000 and \$244,880,000, respectively.

#### Note 13 - Benefit Plans

#### **Employee Stock Ownership Plan**

Effective upon completion of the Company's initial public offering in February 2005, the Bank established an Employee Stock Ownership Plan ("ESOP") for all eligible employees who complete a twelve-month period of employment with the Bank, have attained the age of 21 and complete at least 1,000 hours of service in a plan year. The ESOP used \$17,457,000 in proceeds from a term loan obtained from the Company to purchase 1,745,700 shares of Company common stock. Effective October 1, 2006 an addendum to the ESOP promissory note changed the payments from monthly to quarterly. As a result, the remaining term loan principal is payable over 42 equal installments through March 31, 2017. The interest rate on the term loan is 5.50%. Each year, the Bank intends to make discretionary contributions to the ESOP, which will be equal to principal and interest payments required on the term loan. The Bank may substitute dividends paid, if any, on the Company common stock held by the ESOP for discretionary contributions.

Shares purchased with the loan proceeds provide collateral for the term loan and are held in a suspense account for future allocations among participants. Contributions to the ESOP and shares released from the suspense account are to be allocated among the participants on the basis of compensation, as described by the Plan, in the year of allocation.

The ESOP is accounted for in accordance with Statement of Position 93-6, "Accounting for Employee Stock Ownership Plans," which was issued by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Accordingly, ESOP shares pledged as collateral were initially recorded as unearned ESOP shares in the consolidated statements of financial condition. Thereafter, on a monthly basis, 12,123 shares are committed to be released, compensation expense is recorded equal to the number of shares committed to be released times the monthly average market price of the shares, and the committed shares become outstanding for basic net income per common share computations. ESOP compensation expense was approximately \$1,691,000, \$1,733,000 and \$2,170,000 for the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, respectively.

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### Note 13 - Benefit Plans (Continued)

#### **Employee Stock Ownership Plan (Continued)**

At June 30, 2009 and 2008, the ESOP shares were as follows:

	June 30, 2009	2008
Allocated shares	518,291	390,736
Distribution of shares due to employee resignations/terminations	27,775	9,920
Shares committed to be released Unearned shares	84,330	84,264
Onedined shares	1,115,304	1,260,780
Total ESOP Shares	1,745,700	1,745,700
Fair value of unearned shares	\$12,759,078	\$13,868,580

### Employee Stock Ownership Plan Benefit Equalization Plan ("ESOP BEP")

The Bank has a non-qualified plan to compensate senior officers of the bank who participate in the Bank's ESOP for certain benefits lost under such plan by reason of benefit limitations imposed by the Internal Revenue Code. The ESOP BEP expense was approximately \$44,000, \$48,000 and \$54,000 for the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, respectively. The liability totaled approximately \$26,000 and \$30,000 at June 30, 2009 and 2008, respectively.

#### Thrift Plan

The Bank sponsors the Employees' Savings and Profit Sharing Plan and Trust (the "Plan"), pursuant to Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code, for all eligible employees. Employees may elect to save up to 20% of their compensation. The Bank will contribute a matching contribution up to 3% of the employee annual compensation. The Plan expense amounted to approximately \$337,000, \$324,000, and \$320,000 for the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, respectively.

### **Retirement Plan**

The Bank has a non-contributory multiple-employer pension plan covering all eligible employees. The actuarial valuation at July 1, 2008 for the plan year July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2009 is the first governed by the Pension Protection Act of 2006. As such, several significant actuarial assumptions changed. The projected unit credit cost valuation method was replaced by the traditional unit credit valuation method. The annual investment rate, which was 7.75% for the two plan years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, respectively, was replaced by the corporate bond yield curve for June 2008 for the plan year ended June 30, 2009. At the date of latest plan review, the net assets available for plan benefits exceeded the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits. Data for the actuarial present value of accumulated vested and non-vested benefits is not determinable for this multiple-employer retirement plan. During the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, total pension plan expense, contributions to the plan and administrative expenses and Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation premium were approximately \$41,000, \$650,000, and \$2,244,000, respectively.

On April 16, 2007, the Board of Directors of the Bank approved, effective July 1, 2007, "freezing" all future benefit accruals under the Bank's defined benefit pension plan. This action was intended to provide the Bank

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#### Note 13 - Benefit Plans (Continued)

#### **Retirement Plan (Continued)**

with additional flexibility in managing the costs associated with the benefit plans provided to its employees while still preserving all retirement plan participants' earned and vested benefits.

### Benefit Equalization Plan ("BEP")

The Bank has an unfunded non-qualified plan to compensate senior officers of the Bank who participate in the Bank's qualified defined benefit plan for certain benefits lost under such plans by reason of benefit limitations imposed by Sections 415 and 401 of the Internal Revenue Code. There were approximately \$62,000, \$61,000 and \$61,000 in contributions made to and benefits paid under the BEP during each of the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, respectively. The valuation measurement date was June 30 for 2009 and 2008.

The following table sets forth the BEP's funded status and components of net periodic pension cost:

	June 30, 2009		2008	
	(Dollars in Thousands)			
Change in benefit obligation:				
Benefit obligation - beginning	\$ 2,560		\$ 3,097	
Interest cost	164		152	
Amendments – Curtailment	_		(682	)
Actuarial loss	17		54	
Benefit payments	(62	)	(61	)
Decrease due to an increase in the discount rate	(111	)	_	
Benefit obligation - ending	\$ 2,568		\$ 2,560	
Change in plan assets:				
Fair value of assets - beginning	<b>\$</b> —		\$ —	
Settlements	(62	)	(61	)
Contributions	62		61	
Fair value of assets - ending	\$ —		\$ —	
Reconciliation of funded status:				
Accumulated benefit obligation	\$ (2,568	)	\$ (2,560	)
Projected benefit obligation	\$ (2,568	)	\$ (2,560	)
Fair value of assets	_		_	
Accrued pension cost included in other liabilities	\$ (2,568	)	\$ (2,560	)

Valuation assumptions:

Discount rate 6.25 % 6.75 % Salary increase rate N/A N/A

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#### Note 13 - Benefit Plans (Continued)

#### Benefit Equalization Plan ("BEP") (Continued)

	Years Ended	June 30,			
	2009	2008	2	2007	
	(Dollars in Tl	nousands)			
Net periodic pension expense:					
Service cost	<b>\$</b> —	\$ —	\$	69	
Interest cost	164	152		180	
Curtailment	_	(35	)	_	
Amortization of past service costs	_	_		(12	)
Amortization of net actuarial loss	98	146		204	
	\$ 262	\$ 263	\$	6 441	
Valuation assumptions:					
Discount rate	6.75	<b>%</b> 6.25	%	6.25	%
Salary increase rate		N/A	N/A	5.50	%

It is estimated that contributions of approximately \$82,000 will be made during the year ending June 30, 2010.

The following benefit payments, which reflect expected future service, as appropriate, are expected to be paid:

Years Ending June 30:	(In Thousands)
2010	\$ 82
2011	118
2012	274
2013	248
2014	247
2015-2019	1,202

On April 16, 2007, the Board of Directors of the Bank approved, effective July 1, 2007, "freezing" all future benefit accruals under the BEP related to the Bank's defined benefit pension plan. This action was intended to provide the Bank with additional flexibility in managing the costs associated with the benefit plans provided to its employees while still preserving all retirement plan participants' earned and vested benefits.

At June 30, 2009, unrecognized net loss of \$345,000 was included in accumulated other comprehensive loss in accordance with SFAS No. 158. As required under SFAS No. 158, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, \$80,000 of recognized net loss is expected to be recognized as a component of net periodic pension cost.

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#### Note 13 - Benefit Plans (Continued)

#### Postretirement Welfare Plan

The Bank has an unfunded postretirement group term life insurance plan covering all eligible employees. The benefits are based on age and years of service. During the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, contributions and benefits paid totaled \$6,000, \$4,000, and \$4,000, respectively. The valuation measurement date was June 30 for 2009 and April 1 for 2008.

The following table sets forth the accrued accumulated postretirement benefit obligation and the net periodic postretirement benefit cost:

	20	une 30, 009 Dollars in Thousands)		20	008	
Change in benefit obligation:						
Benefit obligation - beginning	\$	491		\$	535	
Service cost		25			24	
Interest cost		33			34	
Actuarial gain		_			(98	)
Premiums/claims paid		(6	)		(4	)
Adjustment for change in measurement date		15			_	
Benefit obligation - ending	\$	558		\$	491	
Change in plan assets:						
Fair value of assets - beginning	\$	_		\$	_	
Premiums/claims paid	·	(6	)	·	(4	)
Contributions		6	,		4	,
Fair value of assets - ending	\$	_		\$	_	
Reconciliation of funded status:						
Accumulated benefit obligation	\$	(558	)	\$	(491	)
Fair value of assets	4	_	,	Ψ	_	,
Accrued postretirement benefit cost included						
in other liabilities	\$	(558	)	\$	(491	)
Valuation assumptions:						
Discount rate		6.50	%	,	7.00	%
Salary increase rate		4.00	%		4.25	<i>%</i>
		7.00	70	,	4.43	70

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**Note 13 - Benefit Plans (Continued)** 

Postretirement Welfare Plan (Continued)

	Y	ears Ended	June 30,						
	20	009	:	200	8		20	07	
	(D	ollars in The	ousands)						
Net periodic postretirement benefit cost:									
Service cost	\$	25		\$	24		\$	31	
Interest cost		33			34			28	
Amortization of past service liability		10			10			10	
Amortization of unrecognized gain		(6	)		_			_	
	\$	62		\$	68		\$	69	
Valuation assumptions:									
Discount rate		7.00	%		6.38	%		6.25	%
Salary increase rate		4.25	%		3.75	%		3.25	%

It is estimated that contributions of approximately \$8,000 will be made during the year ending June 30, 2010.

The following benefit payments, which reflect expected future service, as appropriate, are expected to be paid:

Years Ending June 30:	(In Thousands)
2010	\$8
2011	9
2012	10
2013	11
2014	11
2015-2019	59

At June 30, 2008, unrecognized net gain of \$112,000 and unrecognized past service cost of \$22,000 were included in accumulated other comprehensive loss in accordance with SFAS No. 158. As required under SFAS No. 158, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, \$8,000 of unrecognized net gain and \$10,000 of unrecognized past service cost is expected to be recognized as a component of net periodic pension cost.

Directors' Consultation and Retirement Plan ("DCRP")

The Bank has an unfunded retirement plan for non-employee directors. The benefits are payable based on term of service as a director. During each of the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, contributions and benefits paid totaled \$89,000. The valuation measurement date was June 30 for 2009 and April 1 for 2008.

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### Note 13 - Benefit Plans (Continued)

### Directors' Consultation and Retirement Plan ("DCRP") (Continued)

The following table sets forth the DCRP's funded status and components of net periodic cost:

Change in benefit obligation:	20	une 30, 009 Dollars in Thousands)		20	008	
Projected benefit obligation - beginning Service cost Interest cost Actuarial gain	\$	2,301 121 156		\$	2,250 134 139 (133	)
Annuity payments  Adjustment for a change in measurement date  Projected benefit obligation - ending	\$	(89 69 2,558	)	\$	(89 — 2,301	)
Change in plan assets: Fair value of assets - beginning Settlements Contributions	\$		)	\$		)
Fair value of assets - ending  Reconciliation of funded status:	\$	_		\$	_	
Accumulated benefit obligation	\$	(2,089	)	\$	(1,913	)
Projected benefit obligation Fair value of assets	\$	(2,558	)	\$	(2,301	)
Accrued cost included in other liabilities  Valuation assumptions:	\$	(2,558	)	\$	(2,301	)
Discount rate Fee increase rate		6.50 4.00	% %		7.00 4.25	% %

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Note 13 - Benefit Plans (Continued)

Directors' Consultation and Retirement Plan ("DCRP") (Continued)

	Years Ended June 30,					
	2009	20	008	20	007	
	(Dollars in	Thousands)				
Net periodic plan cost:						
Service cost	<b>\$ 121</b>	\$	134	\$	135	
Interest cost	156		139		138	
Amortization of transition obligation	43		44		44	
Amortization of past service liability	61		61		61	
	\$ 381	\$	378	\$	378	
Valuation assumptions:						
Discount rate	7.00	%	6.38	%	6.25	%
Fee increase rate	4.25	%	3.75	%	3.25	%

It is estimated that contributions of approximately \$194,000 will be made during the year ending June 30, 2010.

The following benefit payments, which reflect expected future service, as appropriate, are expected to be paid:

Years Ending June 30:	(In Thousands)
2010	\$ 194
2011	208
2012	186
2013	201
2014	175
2015-2019	1.170

At June 30, 2009, unrecognized net gain of \$230,000 and unrecognized past service cost of \$385,000 were included in accumulated other comprehensive loss in accordance with SFAS No. 158. As required under SFAS No. 158, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, \$61,000 of unrecognized past service cost is expected to be recognized as a component of net periodic pension cost.

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#### Note 13 - Benefit Plans (Continued)

#### **Stock Compensation Plans**

The Company has two stock-related compensation plans: stock options and restricted stock awards. The plans authorized the award of up to 3,564,137 shares as stock option grants and 1,425,655 shares as restricted stock awards. At June 30, 2009, there were 319,897 shares remaining available for future option grants and 155,959 shares remaining available for future restricted stock awards under the plans.

Employee options and non-employee director options generally vest over a five-year service period and have a contractual maturity of ten years. The Company recognizes compensation expense for the fair values of these awards, which have graded vesting, on a straight-line basis over the requisite service period of the awards. There were no options granted during the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007.

Restricted shares generally vest in full after five years. Management recognizes compensation expense for the fair value of restricted shares on a straight-line basis over the requisite service period of five years. There were no restricted stock awards during the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007.

During the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, the Company recorded \$4,992,000, \$4,992,000 and \$5,121,000, respectively of share-based compensation expense, comprised of stock option expense of \$1,906,000, \$1,908,000 and \$1,942,000, respectively, and restricted stock expense of \$3,086,000, \$3,084,000 and \$3,179,000, respectively.

During the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, the income tax benefit attributed to non-qualified stock options expense was approximately \$533,000, \$521,000 and \$532,000, respectively, and attributed to restricted stock expense was approximately \$1,260,000, \$1,232,000 and \$1,269,000, respectively.

The following is a summary of the Company's stock option activity and related information for its option plans for the year ended June 30, 2009:

	Options (In Thousa	Weighted Average Exercise Price	Range of Prices	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Term	Aggregate Intrinsic Value (In Thousands)
Outstanding at June 30, 2008 Exercised Forfeited	3,226	\$12.33 -	\$11.55 - \$12.71	7.4 years	-
Outstanding at June 30, 2009	3,226	\$12.33	\$11.55 - \$12.71	6.4 years	-

Exercisable at June 30, 2009 1,932 \$12.32 \$11.55 - \$12.71 6.4 years

Upon exercise of vested options, management expects to draw on treasury stock as the source of the shares. As of June 30, 2009, the Company has 3,495,900 shares of treasury stock. There were no vested options exercised during the year ended June 30, 2009. The aggregate intrinsic values of exercised vested options

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Note 13 - Benefit Plans (Continued)

**Stock Compensation Plans (Continued)** 

during the years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007 were \$3,000 and \$28,000, respectively. Expected future compensation expense relating to the 1,293,696 unexercisable options outstanding as of June 30, 2009 is \$2,652,000 over a weighted average period of 1.4 years.

The following is a summary of the status of the Company's non-vested restricted share awards as of June 30, 2009 and changes during the year ended June 30, 2009:

	Restricted Shares (In Thousands)	Weighted Average Grant Date Fair Value
Non-vested at June 30, 2008 Vested	752 ( <b>251</b> )	\$12.31 <b>\$12.31</b>
Non-vested at June 30, 2009	501	\$12.31

During the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, the total fair value of vested restricted shares were \$3,048,000, \$3,154,000 and \$4,347,000, respectively. Expected future compensation expense relating to the 501,078 non-vested restricted shares at June 30, 2009 is \$4,284,000 over a weighted average period of 1.4 years.

### Note 14 - Stockholders' Equity and Regulatory Capital

The Office of Thrift Supervision (the "OTS") imposes various restrictions or requirements on the ability of savings institutions to make capital distributions, including cash dividends. A savings institution that is a subsidiary of a savings and loan holding company, such as the Bank, must file an application or a notice with the OTS at least thirty days before making a capital distribution. A savings institution must file an application for prior approval of a capital distribution if: (i) it is not eligible for expedited treatment under the applications processing rules of the OTS; (ii) the total amount of all capital distributions, including the proposed capital distribution, for the applicable calendar year would exceed an amount equal to the savings institution's net income for that year to date plus the institution's retained net income for the preceding two years; (iii) it would not adequately be capitalized after the capital distribution; or (iv) the distribution would violate an agreement with the OTS or applicable regulations.

In June 2007, the Bank applied to the OTS for approval to distribute \$19,000,000 to the Company. In August 2007, the Bank received approval from the OTS and the cash dividend was paid in November 2007. During the approval process, the OTS noted that future dividend requests will require closer scrutiny by the OTS due to the Bank's compressed earnings at the time.

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#### Note 14 - Stockholders' Equity and Regulatory Capital (Continued)

The Bank is subject to various regulatory capital requirements administered by Federal banking agencies. Failure to meet minimum capital requirements can initiate certain mandatory - and possibly additional discretionary – actions by regulators that, if undertaken, could have a direct material effect on the Bank's consolidated financial statements. Under capital adequacy guidelines and the regulatory framework for prompt corrective action, the Bank must meet specific capital guidelines that involve quantitative measures of the Bank's assets, liabilities, and certain off-balance-sheet items as calculated under regulatory accounting practices. The Bank's capital amounts and classification are also subject to qualitative judgments by the regulators about components, risk weighting, and other factors.

The OTS may disapprove a notice or deny an application for a capital distribution if: (i) the savings institution would be undercapitalized following the capital distribution; (ii) the proposed capital distribution raises safety and soundness concerns; or (iii) the capital distribution would violate a prohibition contained in any statute, regulation or agreement. The capital distributions by Kearny Financial Corp., as a savings and loan holding company, will not be subject to the OTS capital distribution rules.

Quantitative measures established by regulation to ensure capital adequacy require the Bank to maintain minimum amounts and ratios of Total and Tier 1 capital (as defined in the regulations) to risk-weighted assets (as defined), and of Tier 1 capital to adjusted total assets (as defined). The following tables present a reconciliation of capital per GAAP and regulatory capital and information as to the Bank's capital levels at the dates presented:

GAAP capital:	June 30, 2009 (In Thousan	2008		
Consolidated capital	\$ 476,720	)	\$ 471,371	
Less: Unconsolidated capital of the Company	(25,658		(39,779 )	
Bank capital	451,062	2	431,592	
Less: Unrealized (gain) loss on securities	(8,710	)	1,283	
Noncredit-related other-than-temporary impairment losses on securities held to maturity	161		_	
Net benefit plan change per FASB Statement No. 158	242		441	
Goodwill	(82,263	)	(82,263)	
Intangible assets	(22	)	(51)	
Add: Unrealized loss on equity securities	_		(117 )	
Core and tangible capital	360,470	)	350,885	
Add: General valuation allowance for loan losses	5,004		4,941	
Less: Low level recourse and residual interest	(417	)	_	

**Total Regulatory Capital** \$ **365,057** \$ 355,826

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Note 14 - Stockholders' Equity and Regulatory Capital (Continued)

	Actual			Capital Ad	lequacy	y	Pro	oe Well Cap npt Correct visions		
	Amount	Ratio	Amo	ount	Rati	0	Amo	ount	Ratio	
	(Dollars in Tho	ousands)								
As of June 30, 2009:										
Total capital (to risk-weighted assets)	\$365,057	38.80%	3	\$75,267	3	8.00%	3	\$94,084	3	$\boldsymbol{10.00\%}$
Tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)	360,470	38.27	3	37,634	3	4.00	3	56,450	3	6.00
Core (Tier 1) capital (to adjusted total assets)	360,470	17.84	3	80,814	3	4.00	3	101,018	3	5.00
Tangible capital (to adjusted total assets)	360,470	17.84	3	30,305	3	1.50	3	-	3	_
As of June 30, 2008:										
Total capital (to risk-weighted assets)	\$355,826	38.43%	3	\$74,081	3	8.00%	3	\$92,601	3	10.00%
Tier 1 capital (to risk-weighted assets)	350,885	37.89	3	37,041	3	4.00	3	55,561	3	6.00
Core (Tier 1) capital (to adjusted total assets)	350,885	17.76	3	79,012	3	4.00	3	98,765	3	5.00
Tangible capital (to adjusted total assets)	350,885	17.76	3	29,629	3	1.50	3	-	3	_

On December 3, 2008, the most recent notification from the OTS, the Bank was categorized as well capitalized as of June 30, 2008, under the regulatory framework for prompt corrective action. There are no conditions existing or events which have occurred since notification that management believes have changed the Bank's category.

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### **Note 15 - Income Taxes**

The Bank qualifies as a savings institution under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code (the "IRC"). Retained earnings at June 30, 2009, includes approximately \$30.5 million of bad debt allowance, pursuant to the IRC, for which income taxes have not been provided. If such amount is used for purposes other than to absorb bad debts, including distributions in liquidation, it will be subject to income tax at the then current rate.

The components of income taxes are as follows:

	Years En	nded June 30,						
	2009		2	008		2	007	
	(In Thous	ands)						
Current tax expense (benefit):								
Federal income	\$ 3,988		\$	2,948		\$	880	
State income	(64	)		953			962	
	3,924			3,901			1,842	
Deferred tax (benefit) expense:								
Federal income	(457	)		741			(1,410	)
State income	1,142			(511	)		(2,174	)
	685			230			(3,584	)
Valuation allowance	(12	)		(2,180	)		1,963	
	\$ 4,597		\$	1,951		\$	221	

### **Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements**

#### Note 15 - Income Taxes (Continued)

The following table presents a reconciliation between the reported income taxes and the income taxes which would be computed by applying the normal federal income tax rate of 35% to income before income taxes for the year ended June 30, 2009 and 34% to the years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007:

	20	ears End )09 n Thousan	ed June 30	008		20	007	
Federal income tax expense (Reductions) increases in income taxes resulting from:	\$	3,846		\$ 2,671		\$	733	
Tax exempt interest		(193	)	(310	)		(1,384	)
New Jersey state tax, net of federal income tax effect ESOP market value adjustment Qualified stock options compensation expense Income from BOLI Employee compensation Other items, net		721 83 211 (182 166 (43	)	1,108 94 204 (189 376 177	)		(1,467 243 208 (179 — 104	)
		4,609		4,131			(1,742	)
Valuation allowance		(12	)	(2,180	)		1,963	
Total income tax expense	\$	4,597		\$ 1,951		\$	221	
Effective income tax rate		41.84	%	24.84	%		10.26	%

The effective income tax rate represents total income tax expense divided by income before income taxes.

At June 30, 2009, the Bank (on an unconsolidated basis) had a net operating loss carryforward of approximately \$15,203,000 expiring in the years 2013 through 2015 for state income tax purposes.

During the year ended June 30, 2008, the Company reversed the valuation allowances for the state alternative minimum assessment and the benefit to be derived from utilization of the state net operating loss carryforward for the year ended June 30, 2006 and the benefit to be derived from utilization of the state net operating loss carryforward for the year ended June 30, 2007. With the dissolution of Kearny Federal Investment Corp. and the transfer of its assets to the Bank, the Bank is projected to have sufficient future taxable income to effectively utilize its state net operating loss carryforwards. Accordingly, the related deferred tax assets are now considered to be more likely than not to be realized.

During the year ended June 30, 2009, the Company reversed a valuation allowance on other-than-temporary impairment as a result of a redemption-in-kind transaction of a mutual fund. As a result of the same redemption-in-kind transaction, the Company incurred a realized capital loss which was partially utilized as a capital loss carry back against capital gains in the three preceding years. The Company established a deferred tax asset for the remaining capital loss carry forward. Since it is not currently more likely than not that the deferred tax asset will be realized, the Company established a valuation allowance during the year ended June 30, 2009.

### **Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements**

### **Note 15 - Income Taxes (Continued)**

The tax effects of existing temporary differences that give rise to deferred income tax assets and liabilities are as follows:

	20	nne 30, 009 n Thousands)	20	008
Deferred income tax assets:				
Unrealized loss on securities available for sale	\$	_	\$	853
Noncredit-related other-than-temporary impairment on securities held to				
maturity		228		_
Accumulated other comprehensive income - Defined benefit plans		167		294
Allowance for loan losses		2,628		2,438
Benefit plans		2,208		1,818
Compensation		142		143
Stock based compensation		3,262		2,591
Alternative minimum tax		160		997
Net operating loss carryforward		889		1,738
Other-than-temporary impairment		177		284
Capital loss carryover		272		
Uncollected interest		273		91
Other		20		4
		10,426		11,251
Valuation allowance		(272 )		(284 )
		10,154		10,967
Deferred income tax liabilities:				
Depreciation		74		252
Goodwill		2,489		1,627
Unrealized gain on securities available for sale		6,138		_
Other		58		60
		8,759		1,939
Net deferred income tax assets	\$	1,395	\$	9,028

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#### **Note 16 - Commitments**

The Bank has non-cancelable operating leases for branch offices. The following is a schedule by years of future minimum rental payments required under operating leases that have initial or remaining non-cancelable lease terms in excess of one year as of June 30, 2009:

Years Ending June 30:	(I	n Thousands)
2010	\$	495
2011		496
2012		286
2013		240
2014		252
Thereafter		2,176
Total Minimum Payments Required	\$	3,945

The following schedule shows the composition of total rental expense for all operating leases:

	June 30,				
	2009	2008	2007		
	(In Thousands)				
Minimum rentals	\$ 524	\$ 466	\$ 364		

The Bank is a party to financial instruments with off-balance-sheet risk in the normal course of business to meet the financing needs of its customers. These financial instruments include commitments to extend credit. The Bank's exposure to credit loss in the event of nonperformance by the other party to the financial instrument for commitments to extend credit is represented by the contractual notional amount of those instruments. The Bank uses the same credit policies in making commitments and conditional obligations as it does for on-balance-sheet instruments.

The outstanding loan commitments are as follows:

	June 30,	
	2009	2008
	(In Thousands)	
Mortgage loans	\$ 26,653	\$ 30,940

	\$ 67,440	\$ 75,722
Commercial line of credit	1,050	225
Undisbursed funds from approved lines of credit	24,901	27,288
Construction loans in process	7,574	9,078
Construction loans	2,727	3,459
Home equity loans	4,535	4,732

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### **Note 16 - Commitments (Continued)**

At June 30, 2009, the outstanding mortgage loan commitments include \$23,478,000 for fixed rate loans with interest rates ranging from 4.00% to 6.50% and \$3,175,000 for adjustable rate loans with initial rates ranging from 5.75% to 6.00%. Home equity loan commitments include \$4,385,000 for fixed rate loans with interest rates ranging from 5.25% to 5.875% and \$150,000 for adjustable rate loans with an initial rate of 5.00%. Construction loan commitments are for loans with floating interest rates ranging from 1.25% below to 2.50% above the prime rate published in the Wall Street Journal. Undisbursed funds from approved lines of credit are adjustable rate loans with interest rates ranging from 1.25% below to 2.50% above the prime rate published in the Wall Street Journal.

At June 30, 2008, the outstanding mortgage loan commitments include \$26,880,000 for fixed rate loans with interest rates ranging from 4.50% to 6.50% and \$4,060,000 for adjustable rate loans with initial rates ranging from 5.25% to 6.00%. Home equity loan commitments include \$4,672,000 for fixed rate loans with interest rates ranging from 5.625% to 6.00% and \$60,000 for adjustable rate loans with an initial rate of 7.25%. Construction loan commitments are for loans with floating interest rates ranging from 1.25% below to 2.50% above the prime rate published in the Wall Street Journal. Undisbursed funds from approved lines of credit are adjustable rate loans with interest rates ranging from 1.25% below to 4.25% above the prime rate published in the Wall Street Journal.

Commitments to extend credit are agreements to lend to a customer as long as there is no violation of any condition established in the contract. Commitments generally have fixed expiration dates or other termination clauses and may require payment of a fee. Since many of the commitments are expected to expire without being drawn upon, the total commitment amounts do not necessarily represent future cash requirements. The Bank evaluates each customer's creditworthiness on a case-by-case basis. The amount of collateral obtained if deemed necessary by the Bank upon extension of credit is based on management's credit evaluation of the counterparty.

The Bank has established an overnight line of credit and companion (DRA) commitment, each in the amount of \$100,000,000, with the Federal Home Loan Bank of New York, which expire on July 31, 2009. As of June 30, 2009, no funds were drawn against these credit lines.

At June 30, 2009, the Bank has commitments for building improvements in the amount of \$322,000. In addition, the Bank also has, in the normal course of business, commitments for servicers and supplies. Management does not anticipate losses on any of these transactions.

The Company and subsidiaries are also party to litigation which arises primarily in the ordinary course of business. In the opinion of management, the ultimate disposition of such litigation should not have a material adverse effect on the consolidated financial position of the Company.

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#### Note 17 - Fair Value of Financial Instruments

Effective July 1, 2008, the Company adopted SFAS No. 157, "Fair Value Measurement." SFAS No. 157 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value, and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. SFAS No. 157 does not require any new fair value measurements. The definition of fair value retains the exchange price notion in earlier definitions of fair value. SFAS No. 157 clarifies that the exchange price is the price in an orderly transaction between market participants to sell the asset or transfer the liability in the market in which the reporting entity would transact for the asset or liability. The definition focuses on the price that would be received to sell the asset or paid to transfer the liability (an exit price), not the price that would be paid to acquire the asset or received to assume the liability (an entry price). SFAS No. 157 emphasizes that fair value is a market-based measurement, not an entity-specific measurement.

FSP FAS 157-2, "Effective Date of FASB Statement No. 157," issued in February 2008, delays the effective date of SFAS No. 157 for nonfinancial assets and nonfinancial liabilities, except for items that are recognized or disclosed at fair value in an entity's statements on a recurring basis (at least annually), to fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2008 and interim periods within those fiscal years. The Company expects that FSP FAS 157-2 will not have an impact on its consolidated financial statements.

In October 2008, the FASB issued FSP FAS 157-3, "Determining the Fair Value of a Financial Asset When the Market for That Asset Is Not Active." FSP FAS 157-3 clarifies the application of SFAS No. 157, "Fair Value Measurements", in a market that is not active and provides an example to illustrate key considerations in determining the fair value of a financial asset when the market for that financial asset is not active. FSP 157-3 was effective upon issuance. Adoption of FSP FAS 157-3 did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In April 2009, the FASB issued FSP FAS 157-4, "Determining Fair Value When the Volume and Level of Activity for the Asset or Liability Have Significantly Decreased and Identifying Transactions That Are Not Orderly". FASB SFAS No. 157, "Fair Value Measurements," defines fair value as the price that would be received to sell the asset or transfer the liability in an orderly transaction (that is, not a forced liquidation or distressed sale) between market participants at the measurement date under current market conditions. FSP FAS 157-4 provides additional guidance on determining when the volume and level of activity for the asset or liability has significantly decreased. The FSP also includes guidance on identifying circumstances when a transaction may not be considered orderly.

FSP FAS 157-4 provides a list of factors that a reporting entity should evaluate to determine whether there has been a significant decrease in the volume and level of activity for the asset or liability in relation to normal market activity for the asset or liability. When the reporting entity concludes there has been a significant decrease in the volume and level of activity for the asset or liability, further analysis of the information from that market is needed and significant adjustments to the related prices may be necessary to estimate fair value in accordance with SFAS No. 157.

This FSP clarifies that when there has been a significant decrease in the volume and level of activity for the asset or liability, some transactions may not be orderly. In those situations, the entity must evaluate the weight of the evidence to determine whether the transaction is orderly. The FSP provides a list of circumstances that may indicate that a transaction is not orderly. A transaction price that is not associated with an orderly transaction is given little, if any, weight when estimating fair value.

This FSP is effective for interim and annual reporting periods ending after June 15, 2009. Adoption of FSP FAS 157-4 did not have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.							
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#### **Note 17 - Fair Value of Financial Instruments (Continued)**

SFAS No. 157 describes three levels of inputs that may be used to measure fair value:

Level 1: Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2: Observable inputs other than Level 1 prices, such as quoted for similar assets or liabilities; quoted

prices in markets that are not active; or inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by

observable market data for substantially the full term of the assets or liabilities.

Level 3: Unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and that are significant to the

fair value of the assets or liabilities. Level 3 assets and liabilities include financial instruments whose value is determined using pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies, or similar

techniques, as well as instruments for which the determination of fair value requires significant

management judgment or estimation.

In addition, SFAS No. 157 requires the Company to disclose the fair value for financial assets on both a recurring and non-recurring basis.

Those assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis are summarized below:

Markets for Identical Obse		Signif Obser	June 30, 2009, Using ignificant Other Observable Inputs Level 2)		icant servable Inputs   3)	 nce as of 30, 2009	
Securities available for sale Mortgage-backed securities	\$	_	\$	26,987	\$	1,040	\$ 28,027
available for sale		_		683,785		_	683,785

The fair values of securities available for sale (carried at fair value) or held to maturity (carried at amortized cost) are primarily determined by obtaining matrix pricing, which is a mathematical technique widely used in the industry to value debt securities without relying exclusively on quoted prices for the specific securities but rather by relying on the securities' relationship to other benchmark quoted securities (Level 2 inputs). The Company holds a trust preferred security with a par value of \$1.0 million, a de-facto obligation of Mercantil Commercebank Florida Bancorp, Inc., whose fair value has been determined by using Level 3 inputs. It is a part of a \$40.0 million private placement with a coupon of 8.90% issued in 1998 and maturing in 2028. Generally management has been unable to obtain a market quote due to a lack of trading activity for this security; therefore, it has been valued using its call price, which is on a sliding scale adjusting lower each June 15th until 2018 when the call price settles at 100% of par. The aforementioned security was most recently re-priced as of June 15, 2009.

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#### **Note 17 - Fair Value of Financial Instruments (Continued)**

Those assets measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis are summarized below:

	Fair Value Meas Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Assets (Level 1) (In Thousands)	Signi	at June 30, 2009, U ificant Other crvable Inputs el 2)	Sign	ificant bservable Inputs el 3)	 ance as of e 30, 2009
Impaired loans Other-than-temporarily	\$ —	\$	_	\$	3,949	\$ 3,949
impaired securities held to maturity	_		274		_	274

An impaired loan is evaluated and valued at the time the loan is identified as impaired at the lower of cost or market value. Loans for which it is probable that payment of interest and principal will not be made in accordance with the contractual terms of the loan agreement are considered impaired. Market value is measured based on the value of the collateral securing the loan and is classified at a Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy. Once a loan is identified as individually impaired, management measures impairment in accordance with SFAS No. 114, "Accounting by Creditors for Impairment of a Loan" with the fair value estimated using the market value of the collateral reduced by estimated disposal costs. Those impaired loans not requiring an allowance represent loans for which the fair value of the expected repayments or collateral exceeds the recorded investments in such loans. Impaired loans are reviewed and evaluated on at least a quarterly basis for additional impairment and adjusted accordingly. Impaired loans valued using Level 3 inputs had principal balances totaling \$5,379,000 at June 30, 2009 with valuation allowances of \$1,430,000.

The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair value of each class of financial instruments at June 30, 2009 and 2008:

### Cash and Cash Equivalents, Interest Receivable and Interest Payable

The carrying amounts for cash and cash equivalents, interest receivable and interest payable approximate fair value because they mature in three months or less.

#### **Securities**

See the discussion presented on Page F-58 concerning assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis.

### Loans Receivable

The fair value of loans receivable is estimated by discounting the future cash flows, using the current rates at which similar loans would be made to borrowers with similar credit ratings and for the same remaining maturities, of such loans.

### **Deposits**

The fair value of demand, savings and club accounts is equal to the amount payable on demand at the reporting date. The fair value of certificates of deposit is estimated using rates currently offered for deposits of similar remaining maturities. The fair value estimates do not include the benefit that results from the low-cost funding provided by deposit liabilities compared to the cost of borrowing funds in the market.

### **Advances from FHLB**

Fair value is estimated using rates currently offered for advances of similar remaining maturities.

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### Note 17 - Fair Value of Financial Instruments (Continued)

#### **Commitments**

The fair value of commitments to fund credit lines and originate or participate in loans is estimated using fees currently charged to enter into similar agreements taking into account the remaining terms of the agreements and the present creditworthiness of the counterparties. For fixed rate loans commitments, fair value also considers the difference between current levels of interest and the committed rates. The carrying value, represented by the net deferred fee arising from the unrecognized commitment, and the fair value, determined by discounting the remaining contractual fee over the term of the commitment using fees currently charged to enter into similar agreements with similar credit risk, are not considered material for disclosure. The contractual amounts of unfunded commitments are presented in Note 16.

The carrying amounts and estimated fair values of financial instruments are as follows:

	June 30, 2009 Carrying Amount (In Thousands)	Estimated Fair Value	2008 Carrying Amount	Estimated Fair Value
Financial assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 211,525	\$ 211,525	\$ 131,723	\$ 131,723
Securities available for sale	28,027	28,027	38,183	38,183
Loans receivable	1,039,413	1,048,219	1,021,686	1,010,789
Mortgage-backed securities available for sale	683,785	683,785	726,023	726,023
Mortgage-backed securities held to maturity	4,321	3,678	_	_
Interest receivable	8,237	8,237	8,949	8,949
Financial liabilities:				
Deposits (A)	1,421,201	1,430,796	1,379,032	1,383,721
Advances from FHLB	210,000	238,714	218,000	238,455
Interest payable on FHLB advances	1,058	1,058	1,070	1,070

<sup>(</sup>A) Includes accrued interest payable on deposits of \$125 and \$185, respectively.

### Limitations

Fair value estimates are made at a specific point in time based on relevant market information and information about the financial instruments. These estimates do not reflect any premium or discount that could result from offering for sale at one time the entire holdings of a particular financial instrument. Because no market value exists for a significant portion of the financial instrument, fair value estimates are based on judgments regarding future expected loss experience, current economic conditions, risk characteristics of various financial instrument and other factors. These estimates are subjective in nature, involve uncertainties and matters of judgment and, therefore, cannot be determined with

precision. Changes in assumptions could significantly affect the estimates.

The fair value estimates are based on existing on-and-off balance sheet financial instruments without attempting the value of anticipated future business and the value of assets and liabilities that are not considered financial instruments. Other significant assets and liabilities that are not considered financial

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### Note 17 - Fair Value of Financial Instruments (Continued)

assets and liabilities include premises and equipment, and advances from borrowers for taxes and insurance. In addition, the ramifications related to the realization of the unrealized gains and losses can have a significant effect on fair value estimates and have not been considered in any of the estimates.

Finally, reasonable comparability between financial institutions may not be likely due to the wide range of permitted valuation techniques and numerous estimates which must be made given the absence of active secondary markets for many of the financial instruments. This lack of uniform valuation methodologies introduces a greater degree of subjectivity to these estimated fair values.

### Note 18 - Comprehensive Income

The components of accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) included in stockholders' equity are as follows:

	20	ane 30, )09 n Thousa	nds)	20	008	
Net unrealized gain (loss) on securities available for sale Tax effect	\$	15,027 (6,138	)	\$	(2,136 853	)
Net of tax amount		8,889			(1,283	)
Noncredit-related other-than-temporary impairment of securities held to maturity  Tax effect		(554 228	)		_ _	
Net of tax amount		(326	)		_	
Benefit plan adjustments Tax effect		(410 167	)		(735 294	)
Net of tax amount		(243	)		(441	)
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	\$	8,320		\$	(1,724	)

## **Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements**

### Note 18 – Comprehensive Income (Continued)

Other comprehensive income and related tax effects are presented in the following table:

	Years Ended June 2009	30, 2008	2007
	(In Thousands)		
Realized loss (gain) on securities available for sale:			
Realized loss (gain) arising during the year	\$ 415	\$ —	\$ (55 )
Loss on impairment of securities available for sale:			
Realized loss arising during the year	_	659	_
Unrealized holding gain on securities available for sale:			
Unrealized gain arising during the year	16,746	10,260	11,438
Noncredit-related other-than-temporary impairment losses on securities held to maturity	(274 )	_	_
Benefit plans:			
Amortization of:			
Transition obligation	43	44	_
Actuarial loss	92	146	_
Past service cost	71	71	_
New actuarial gain during the year	94	177	_
Effects of curtailment	_	647	_
Net change in benefit plans accrued expense	300	1,085	_
Other comprehensive income before taxes	17,187	12,004	11,383
Tax effect	(6,994 )	(4,524)	(3,609 )
Other comprehensive income	\$ 10,193	\$ 7,480	\$ 7,774

**Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements** 

### **Note 19 - Parent Only Financial Information**

Kearny Financial Corp. operates its wholly owned subsidiaries, Kearny Financial Securities, Inc. and Kearny Federal Savings Bank and the Bank's wholly-owned subsidiaries. The consolidated earnings of the subsidiaries are recognized by the Company using equity method of accounting. Accordingly, the consolidated earnings of the subsidiaries are recorded as increase in the Company's investment in the subsidiaries. The following are the condensed financial statements for Kearny Financial Corp. (Parent Company only) as June 30, 2009 and 2008, and for each of the years in the three-year period ended June 30, 2009.

#### CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

	June 30,				
	2009		2008		
	(Iı	n Thousands)			
Assets					
Cash and amounts due from depository institutions	\$	9,598	\$	26,271	
ESOP loan receivable		12,533		13,797	
Mortgage-backed securities available for sale (amortized cost 2009		,		,	
\$4,415; 2008 \$0)		4,436		_	
Interest receivable		18		_	
Investment in subsidiaries		451,069		431,597	
Due from subsidiaries		_		771	
Other assets		233		247	
	\$	477,887	\$	472,683	
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity					
Other liabilities	\$	1,167	\$	1,312	
Stockholders' equity	·	476,720		471,371	
	\$	477,887	\$	472,683	

## **Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements**

### Note 19 - Parent Only Financial Information (Continued)

CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF INCOME			
	Years Ended	June 30,	
	2009	2008	2007
	(In Thousands	;)	
Dividends from subsidiary	<b>\$</b> —	\$ 19,000	\$ 15,000
Interest income	1,017	1,303	1,631
Equity in undistributed earnings of subsidiaries	6,226	(13,408)	(13,525)
	7,243	6,895	3,106
Directors' compensation	122	134	130
Other expenses	614	648	728
	736	782	858
Income before Income Taxes	6,507	6,113	2,248
Income tax expense	116	209	314
Net income	\$ 6,391	\$ 5,904	\$ 1,934
CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS			
	Years Ended	June 30,	
	2009	2008	2007
	(In Thousands	i)	
<b>Cash Flows from Operating Activities</b>			
Net income  Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:	\$ 6,391	\$ 5,904	\$ 1,934
Equity in undistributed earnings of the subsidiaries	(6,226)	13,408	13,525
Amortization of premiums	12	_	_
(Increase) decrease in interest receivable	(18 )	69	4
Decrease in intercompany accounts	3,857	7,354	377
Decrease (increase) in other assets	10	46	(76 )
(Decrease) increase in other liabilities	(80 )	92	(669 )
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	3,946	26,873	15,095

**Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements** 

### **Note 19 - Parent Only Financial Information (Continued)**

### CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (CONTINUED)

	Years Ended June 30,				
	2009	2008	2007		
	(In Thousands)	)			
Cash Flows from Investing Activities					
Repayment of loan to ESOP	\$ 1,264	\$ 1,197	\$ 802		
Purchases of mortgage-backed securities available for sale	(4,913 )	<u> </u>	<u> </u>		
Principal repayments on mortgage-backed securities available for sale	487	_	_		
Capital contributions to subsidiaries	(10 )	_	(10 )		
Net Cash (Used in) Provided by Investing Activities	(3,172 )	1,197	792		
Cash Flows from Financing Activities					
Dividends paid to minority stockholders of Kearny Financial Corp.	(3,566)	(3,712)	(3,698 )		
Purchase of common stock of Kearny Financial Corp. for treasury	(13,962)	(7,738)	(24,573)		
Treasury stock reissued	_	63	172		
Dividends contributed for payment of ESOP loan	81	54	_		
Purchase of common stock of Kearny Financial Corp. for restricted stock plan	_	_	(789 )		
Net Cash Used in Financing Activities	(17,447 )	(11,333 )	(28,888 )		
Net (Decrease) Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(16,673 )	16,737	(13,001)		
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning	26,271	9,534	22,535		
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Ending	\$ 9,598	\$ 26,271	\$ 9,534		

## **Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements**

### Note 20 - Net Income per Common Share (EPS)

The following is a reconciliation of the numerators and denominators of the basic and diluted earnings per share computations:

	Year Ended Ju	ne 30, 2009 Shares	Per Share
	(Numerator)	(Denominator) xcept Per Share Data)	Amount
Net income	\$ 6,391	Accept I of Share Data)	
	ŕ		
Basic earnings per share, income available to common stockholders	\$ 6,391	68,111	\$ 0.09
Effect of dilutive securities:			
Stock options Restricted stock awards	_	_	
Restricted stock awards	_	112	
Diluted earnings per share	\$ 6,391	68,223	\$ 0.09
	Year Ended Ju	ne 30, 2008	
Net income	\$ 5,904		
Basic earnings per share, income available to common stockholders	\$ 5,904	68,675	\$ 0.09
Effect of dilutive securities:			
Stock options	<del></del>		
Restricted stock awards	_	114	
Diluted earnings per share	\$ 5,904	68,789	\$ 0.09
	Year Ended Ju	ne 30, 2007	
Net income	\$ 1,934		
Basic earnings per share, income available to common stockholders	\$ 1,934	69,242	\$ 0.03
Effect of dilutive securities:			
Stock options	_	92	
Restricted stock awards	_	247	

Diluted earnings per share \$ 1,934 69,581 \$ 0.03

During the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007, the average number of options which were anti-dilutive totaled 3,225,740, 3,227,388 and 1,006,464, respectively.

**Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements** 

**Note 21 - Quarterly Results of Operations (Unaudited)** 

The following is a condensed summary of quarterly results of operations for the years ended June 30, 2009 and 2008:

	Fi Q	ear Ended Ju irst uarter n Thousands, F	Se Q	30, 2009 econd uarter apt Per Share Da	Q	hird uarter	ourth uarter
Interest income	\$	25,160	\$	24,917	\$	24,248	\$ 23,583
Interest expense		11,917		11,248		10,772	10,263
Net Interest Income		13,243		13,669		13,476	13,320
Provision for loan losses		_		109		208	_
Net Interest Income after Provision for Loan Losses		13,243		13,560		13,268	13,320
Non-interest income		308		736		18	457
Non-interest expenses		10,618		10,553		10,954	11,797
Income before Income Taxes		2,933		3,743		2,332	1,980
Income taxes		1,197		1,505		1,028	867
Net Income	\$	1,736	\$	2,238	\$	1,304	\$ 1,113
Net income per common share:							
Basic	\$	0.03	\$	0.03	\$	0.02	\$ 0.02
Diluted	\$	0.03	\$	0.03	\$	0.02	\$ 0.02
Dividends declared per common share	\$	0.05	\$	0.05	\$	0.05	\$ 0.05
Weighted Average Number of Common Shares Outstanding:							
Basic		68,454		68,190		67,984	67,809
Diluted		68,686		68,316		68,007	67,915

**Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements** 

Note 21 - Quarterly Results of Operations (Unaudited) (Continued)

	Fi	ear Ended June 30, 2008 rst Second uarter Quarter		econd	Third Quarter		Fourth Quarter			
	(In Thousands, Except Per Share Data)									
Interest income Interest expense	\$	23,413 12,041	\$	24,611 12,948	\$	24,554 12,943		\$	24,789 12,596	
Net Interest Income		11,372		11,663		11,611			12,193	
Provision for loan losses		94		_		_			_	
Net Interest Income after Provision for Loan Losses		11,278		11,663		11,611			12,193	
Non-interest income Non-interest expenses		712 10,361		669 10,099		670 10,070			(2 10,409	)
Income before Income Taxes		1,629		2,233		2,211			1,782	
Income taxes		599		857		(462	)		957	
Net Income	\$	1,030	\$	1,376	\$	2,673		\$	825	
Net income per common share: Basic	\$	0.01	\$	0.02	\$	0.04		\$	0.01	
Diluted	\$	0.01	\$	0.02	\$	0.04		\$	0.01	
Dividends declared per common share	\$	0.05	\$	0.05	\$	0.05		\$	0.05	
Weighted Average Number of Common Shares Outstanding: Basic		68,718		68,808		68,625			68,548	
Diluted		68,933		68,957		68,646			68,634	

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

#### KEARNY FINANCIAL CORP.

Dated: September 14, 2009 /s/ John N. Hopkins

By: John N. Hopkins

President and Chief Executive Officer

(Duly Authorized Representative)

Pursuant to the requirement of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, this Report has been signed below by the following persons on September 14, 2009 on behalf of the Registrant and in the capacities indicated.

/s/ John N. Hopkins /s/ William C. Ledgerwood John N. Hopkins William C. Ledgerwood

President and Chief Executive Officer Senior Vice President and Chief

(Principal Executive Officer) Financial Officer

(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

/s/ Theodore J. Aanensen /s/ John J. Mazur, Jr.
Theodore J. Aanensen John J. Mazur, Jr.

Director Director

/s/ Joseph P. Mazza /s/ Mathew T. McClane Joseph P. Mazza Mathew T. McClane

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/s/ John F. McGovern /s/ Leopold W. Montanaro John F. McGovern Leopold W. Montanaro

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/s/ Henry S. Parow /s/ John F. Regan Henry S. Parow John F. Regan

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